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Elsewhere.
Are you a town builder?

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THE ANVIL, EST'D 1886
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Here in Hondo
LOCAL AND PERSONAL

You need your
Hometown paper;
Your hometown paper
Needs you; let's get together;
It costs only \$1.50 a year; less
than 3¢ a week.

WINDROW'S orders flowers. If
Mr. Robert Breiten of Dunlay joins
our list of new readers this week.

All kinds of fountain drinks at
ROTHE'S CONFECTIONERY. 3f.

FOR SALE: 20 sheep muttons, 3-
year-olds. —HAROLD E. RIEBER,
Bandera, Tex. Phone Tarpley. 1 2tp

Pictures framed and mirrors re-
stored. —SPEECE WOODCRAFT
SHOP. tf

Mrs. Alma Koch of San Antonio
was the guest of Mrs. Ione Crouch
Sunday.

LOST, a Brahma bull, 2 years old.
Branded Bar 2. Reward, P. O. Box
37, Natalia. 3tpd

Have you lost a valuable key? If
yes, call at the Anvil Herald office
and identify property.

Mr. C. J. Peters this week adds his
name to the Anvil Herald's new read-
ers.

For drug store needs go to WIN-
DROW DRUG STORE, serving Me-
dina County since 1898. tf

For Hemstitching see Mrs. R. W.
Speece, at residence opposite north-
west corner of courthouse. tf

FOR SALE: Cafe fixtures; will
sell all or part—priced to sell. Ap-
ply CITY CAFE, Sabinal. 6tp

Found, key to a Yale lock. Owner
can have same by calling and identi-
fying property at this office.

Cooper's Cattle Dip, testing fluid
and tablets. Blackleg vaccine. —
Large supply at Windrow Drug Store.

Mrs. B. A. Stewart of Bedias,
Texas, is here visiting her son-in-law
and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Dun-
can.

Mr. Charlie L. Muennink was an
appreciated caller at this office Tues-
day, renewing his subscription to this
paper for another year.

Who has \$1200 they want to in-
vest in Hondo property that will pay
him 8% on his investment? If in-
terested, phone 42 or write care Box
247, Hondo, Texas. tf

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Filleman and
children left Monday morning for
their home in San Angelo, Texas,
after a ten days' visit to his parents,
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Filleman.

Mr. and Mrs. Colby Whitehead left
Monday for their home in Vivian, La.,
after a ten days' visit to Mrs. White-
head's parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. H.
Miller.

IS YOUR INSURANCE MAN
ONE WHO LIVES AMONG YOU,
OR ONE JUST PASSING THRU?

For Every Form of Insurance
See O. H. MILLER, HONDO, Texas,
Since 1907.

Mrs. O. B. Taylor and son, Blan-
ton, arrived home last Thursday
evening from a ten days' visit with
her mother, Mrs. Irma Mary Price,
and other relatives in New Orleans,
Louisiana.

Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Stiegler and
daughter, Virgie, from here, and an-
other daughter, Miss Vernell Stieg-
ler of San Antonio, arrived home
Thursday, July 7th, from a visit with
their son and brother, Clifford Stieg-
ler, of Weinert, Texas. They spent
almost two weeks on their motor trip
to the northern part of the state.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Le Sturgeon and
sister, Miss Gene Le Sturgeon of
San Antonio, visited Mr. and Mrs.
I. P. Aton and family Sunday. Mr.
Le Sturgeon is publisher of the
Beekeeper's Item and an active mem-
ber of the Texas Beekeepers' Asso-
ciation of which Mr. Aton was re-
cently elected president.

Friends of Mrs. Robert Breiten
will be glad to learn that she is re-
covering from the recent operation
which she underwent at the Santa
Rosa Hospital. She was able to be
brought to Hondo on July 4, where
she remained for several days for
further care, before being moved to
her home near Dunlay.

Mr. and Mrs. August J. Leinweber
and sons, Milton, Hilmer and Elton,
and Miss Alice Nietenhoefer, visited
Saturday and Sunday at Corpus
Christi and the Chapman Ranch be-
low there, where another son, Mar-
vin, is bookkeeper. All enjoyed an
outing on the bay. The party went
down through Beeville and returned
via Alice and George West. Mr. Lein-
weber says they did not see any crops
comparable with those of Medina
county.

DOCTOR M. S. DERANKOU, OUR
OPTOMETRIST, IS LEAVING FOR
CORPUS CHRISTI THE FIRST OF
AUGUST, AND WILL NOT RE-
TURN TILL THURSDAY, OCTO-
BER THE SIXTH. ANY ONE OF
HIS PATIENTS IN NEED OF AD-
JUSTMENTS TO THEIR GLASSES,
OR HIS SERVICES, IS CORDIALLY
INVITED TO SEE HIM BEFORE
HE LEAVES, ON HIS USUAL DAYS
HERE — THURSDAYS, FRIDAYS
AND SATURDAYS. 3t

DUNCAN-CHANCEY.

A wedding which came as a pleas-
ant surprise to relatives and friends
of the bride was that of Miss Bernice
Chancey of Hondo and Mr. F. M.
Duncan of Hebronville, which oc-
curred at 7:00 o'clock Monday even-
ing, July 11, 1938, in Laurel Heights
Methodist Church, San Antonio. Rev.
Goodrich, pastor, officiated. The only
attendants were Miss Genevieve
Brucks of Hondo and Mr. Harley
Grimes of Hebronville.

Mr. and Mrs. Duncan returned to
Hondo Tuesday, and Mr. Duncan left
later in the day for Hebronville to
provide a home for his bride. Mrs.
Duncan will join her husband next
week.

The bridegroom is a native of Hen-
rietta, Texas, and is an employee of
the Sun Oil Company located at
Hebronville. The bride is the only
child of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Chancey
of Hondo and is a graduate of Hondo
High School.

This paper joins the friends of the
couple in extending congratulations
and best wishes.

Landa Case Gets New Trial

HUNTER CASE CONTINUED.

As we closed our forms last Thurs-
day, the suit of G. D. Whitfield, Re-
ceiver for Adams Co. of Devine, vs.
Harry Landa, et al, was being tried
in the District Court of Medina
County. The jury returned a verdict
in favor of Adams Co., Friday after-
noon, and on Saturday morning the
defendants called for and were
granted a new trial, which has been
set for Friday, July 15th. The suit,
which involves around \$20,000 which
it is alleged M. A. Keller paid to
Harry Landa and others for the pur-
chase of their interests in Adams Co.,
Inc., out of funds claimed by some
to rightfully belong to patrons of the
store, was in process of hearing from
July 5 until Friday afternoon, July 8,
when the jury returned its verdict.

The case of The State of Texas vs.
Roy Hunter, charged with a statutory
offense, came before the Court Fri-
day and was continued until a special
term of court.

MEDINA COUNTY TO SHARE IN UVALDE CLINIC BENEFITS

On July 21st a Crippled Child-
ren's Diagnostic Clinic will be held at
the First Baptist Church in Uvalde
for the crippled children of this en-
tire district which comprises the fol-
lowing counties: Uvalde, Dimmit, Ed-
wards, Frio, MEDINA, Bandera, La
Salle, Val Verde, Terrell, Maverick,
Zavala, and Kinney. Also any other
county near enough may send anyone
they wish.

Some of these counties are organ-
ized with workers to fully carry on
this work within their own counties
and to them we urge that they join
hands with Uvalde in making this one
of the most far-reaching pieces of
work in Texas. We are neighbors in
the work so let's be co-workers as well.

Each county is being asked to lo-
cally be responsible for the finding
as well as the opportunity for these
cases, their own crippled children,
to come to the clinic. The following
services will be given: diagnosing
and recommending treatment for new
cases; checking the old cases to see
if further treatment is needed; and
the cases who have been completed
in treatment given the opportunity
to discuss with the state plans for
rehabilitation or further schooling.
The ages are from birth to twenty-
one years old. We wish to emphasize
the importance of early treatment
for all these cases, especially hair-
lipped and burns.

If you know of any crippled child-
ren, deformities of any kind from
hair-lip on up, tell them of this clinic
and advise them to go. This oppor-
tunity might never come their way
again. Test for tuberculosis of ages
given above will also be given during
the clinic.

C. F. SCHWEERS,
for the Clinic work.

To School Patrons Residing Outside Hondo District

The Hondo Independent School
District has been authorized by the
State Department of Education to
charge the full net amount for high
school and grade school tuition for
transferred students during the com-
ing school year. Based on last year's
costs, high school tuition will be
around \$110 and grade school around
\$54. Pupils who transfer will be al-
lowed credit for the state per-capita,
which last year was \$22, leaving a
net of approximately \$88 for high
school and \$32 for the grades.

Tuition charges are based upon ac-
tual per-capita costs of operating the
high school and the elementary
school. Money spent in paying for
buildings, and for athletics, are not
included in the figures.

The Hondo schools welcome the
opportunity of serving out-of-district
patrons, but the burden has become
so great in a financial way that it is
necessary for us to receive the as-

LaCOSTE MEXICAN STABBED TO DEATH

Two Mexicans Charged With Murder Held in County Jail.

Fernando Lopez, 21, of LaCoste,
is dead of stab wounds received in a
roadside fight near LaCoste about 1
A. M. Sunday, July 10, and two
Mexican brothers, Jose Mario Ruiz
and Fernando Ruiz, also of LaCoste,
are lodged in the county jail here
charged with assault and murder.

Returning home after a dance in
an auto with six relatives, Lopez
got out of the car when someone
threw a stone through the wind-
shield. A fight ensued and Lopez
was fatally stabbed, apparently with
a long bladed knife. He was taken to
the Robert B. Green Memorial Hospi-
tal in San Antonio by his father,
Julian Lopez, and Ramon Duron of
San Antonio, but was pronounced
dead on arrival. Riding with the vic-
tim at the time of the slaying were
Manuel, Aurelia, Felix, Lucille, and

Guadalupe Lopez and Manuela Cas-
tro.

The sheriff's department of San
Antonio was notified of the slaying
by the hospital at 4 A. M. Later
Sheriff C. J. Schuehle of Medina
County was called and the arrest of
the two brothers, Jose Mario and
Fernando Ruiz, was made. They were
lodged in the jail here in Hondo to
await an examining trial.

Sheriff Schuehle, District Attor-
ney R. J. Noonan and County Attor-
ney H. E. Haass took the prisoners to
LaCoste Tuesday for a hearing be-
fore Judge Leslie Howard's justice
court. The lawyer for the defend-
ants, however, failed to appear, the
examining trial was postponed to
Monday, July 18, and the two pris-
oners were again lodged in the Hondo
jail.

Two other Mexican men were be-
lieved implicated in the fatal stab-
bing but were later released by the
authorities.

VOCATIONAL AGRICULTURE TEACHER AND FUTURE FARMERS TO ATTEND STATE F. F. A. CONVENTION IN EL PASO NEXT WEEK

Mr. C. D. Sadler, Vocational Agri-
culture teacher, with Albert and Ar-
thur Lacy will leave the first of next
week for the State Future Farmer
Convention which will be held in El
Paso July 21, 22, and 23.

Albert and Arthur Lacy are apply-
ing for the Lone Star Future Farmer
degree. We should feel proud of these
boys as they are the first to make
application from Hondo, and this be-
ing the highest degree that the State
of Texas can confer upon them. This
high honor is won by only about 60
boys in the entire state each year.
Their application has already passed
the Area office, and the office at
Huntsville, Texas.

If the above degree is obtained by
these boys their next goal is to be
American Farmers, which is the high-
est degree conferred by the Future
Farmer Organization.

In order to obtain the Lone Star
Farmer degree a boy must show by

a definite program that he expects to
enter upon the vocation of farming or
ranching. He must have earned or
otherwise productively invested \$250
in his program, he must show by re-
cords that he is a leader, and able to
hold a group discussion for at least
40 minutes. The above are only a few
things which a boy must have accom-
plished, but will give some idea.

Upon the return of the application,
it will be placed on display in order
that people of this community may
see what some of the Vocational Agri-
culture students are doing.

The state officials have arranged
to make a tour of the famous Carls-
bad Cave on Sunday after the con-
vention closes.

Mr. Sadler, Albert and Arthur will
be accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. J. D.
Lacy, and their daughter, Judy, who
is the local chapter's Sweetheart for
1938-39.

RIO-CLIFF H. D. CLUB

The Rio-Cliff Home Demonstration
Club met Thursday afternoon, July
7th, at the home of Mrs. R. W. Sittre
to study books and magazines for the
home. Games led by Mrs. J. E. Bou-
bel provided entertainment for the
recreation hour. Delicious refresh-
ments were served by the hostess to
seven members: Mrs. J. C. Geant,
Mrs. F. C. Stinson, Mrs. Theodore
Wurzbach, Mrs. C. C. Bippert, Mrs.
Herman Wurzbach, Mrs. Henry Flory
and Mrs. Mary Balzer; and guests,
Mrs. R. L. Burrell, Mrs. C. A. Haby,
Mrs. Joe Spettie, Mrs. C. R. Haby,
Mrs. Claude Beck and Mrs. J. E.
Boubel. The next meeting of the
group will be held September 1st, at
the home of Mrs. Mary Balzer, to
study health for the family. —Re-
porter.

THE RAYE ANNOUNCES A NEW SATURDAY POLICY

Friday night at 8;
Saturday Matinee, 2:30;
Saturday night, first show 7:45,
second show 9:30. 10 and 15c. 1 2tc

stance that is rightfully and law-
fully due.

If you owe the Hondo district pay-
tion, and have made no effort to pay
it, please do not expect us to enroll
your child again in September. We
expect to refuse admission to stu-
dents whose tuition accounts show no
payments whatever.

IMPROVED TAX COLLECTIONS.

L. E. Heath, tax assessor and col-
lector for Medina County, reports tax
collections for the fiscal year ending
June 30, 1938, as exceptionally good,
amounting to 90.5% of the taxes
assessed for that time. This is a
notable improvement over collections
of last year. Mr. Heath says Medina
County can boast of being among the
counties whose tax collections soared
to the highest percentages in several
years, and of exceeding that of Ber-
rington County with its 85.17 per cent.

FOR SALE.

Young Rambouillet ram. — O. B.
TAYLOR. 1 1tc

SALESMEN WANTED.

WANTED: Man with car for prof-
itable Rawleigh Route. Must be sat-
isfied with earnings of \$30 a week to
start. Write Rawleigh's, Dept. TXG-
358-101, Memphis, Tenn., or see R.
L. Chambliss, 1120 Aransas, Kerr-
ville, Texas. 1 4tp

BARGAIN IN USED RADIO.

I just got in another PHILCO All-
Wave Battery Set Radio; console
cabinet, has been refinished and it
looks just like new. Foreign stations
guaranteed, new extra heavy duty
batteries. Priced for quick sale, cash
or terms. —HERMAN WEYNAND,
West of Courthouse. 1 1tc

BANKS IN GOOD CONDITION.

Official financial statements pub-
lished elsewhere in this paper by the
Hondo National Bank and the D'-
Hanis State Bank show the two in-
stitutions in good condition.

The Hondo National, the only Hondo
banking institution, has on de-
posit \$680,862.32, following the na-
tional bank call for condition of
banks as of June 30. This indicates
an increase over the \$665,596.09 as
of the last call made December 31,
1937. Loans and discounts of the
bank were up \$29,564.51 as compar-
ed with the December bank call. Un-
divided profits in the June report
show a \$4,005.38 jump over those in
December, 1937. There is a marked
increase in the bank's assets since
this time last year.

The D'Hanis State Bank reports
\$123,875.93 in individual deposits,
an increase of \$3,811.86 above those
of June 1937. Loans and discounts
for the June call show \$45,964.90
compared with \$27,810.72 for June
1937, and undivided profits also in-
dicate a substantial increase, over
those of the call of a year ago.

Officials of both institutions re-
port good business during the six-
month period ending June 30, as
their official statements indicate.

County Court In Session

The County Court of Medina
County convened Tuesday, July 12,
in the courthouse in Hondo, and after
hearing of several cases was recessed
Wednesday until further call during
the July term. County Judge A. H.
Roth presided, with County Clerk
S. A. Jungman, County Attorney H.
E. Haass and Sheriff C. J. Schuehle
in attendance. A petit jury was called
for service during the first week's
trials. The jurors were: Raymond
Wolf, Fritz Weiblen, Hy. Poerner,
Raymond Schuchart, Geo. Schott,
Fred Fohn, A. C. Wurzbach, Ecell
Goodwin, Ervin Lutz, and Burr Leam-
man. Harrison Harris and Frank Kel-
ler were excused.

The following cases were heard:

Criminal
The State of Texas vs. Pete Flores,
theft of an overcoat of the value of
\$15.00. Dismissed.

State of Texas vs. Romaldo Gar-
cia, aggravated assault. Dismissed.

State of Texas vs. Barney Burk-
halter, killing and possession of doe
deer. Dismissed.

State of Texas vs. Roy McCamey,
Jr., swindling by giving worthless
check. Continued.

State of Texas vs. F. E. Griggs,
polluting water course. Dismissed.

State of Texas vs. D. F. Stoy, pol-
luting water course. Dismissed.

State of Texas vs. R. E. Brubeck,
polluting water course. Dismissed.

State of Texas vs. Archie Donaghe,
aggravated assault. Dismissed.

State of Texas vs. Morris Coff-
man, swindling by bogus check. Con-
tinued.

State of Texas vs. Marcelino Ybar-
ra, unlawfully practicing medicine.
Dismissed.

State of Texas vs. Adolph F.
Naegelin, swindling by bogus check.
Continued.

State of Texas vs. E. F. Eismen-
ger, theft of \$20.00. Passed. Contin-
ued by agreement of parties.

State of Texas vs. Thelma West,
also known as Mrs. Jack Evers, stat-
utory offense and vagrancy. Defend-
ant plead guilty, and assessed \$1.00
fine and costs of court.

State of Texas vs. R. G. McAdoo,
Section B of Law of the Road, Art.
801. Dismissed.

State of Texas vs. Fred Christilles,
selling beer to a minor. Passed. A
similar case was also passed.

State of Texas vs. Celestina Ybar-
ra, selling beer without a license. De-
fendant plead guilty, fined \$25.00
and costs of court.

Civil
Mat A. Keller and W. A. Allen vs.
Ben C. Duncan, forcible detainer, ap-
peal from J. P. court Pr. 5. Dismissed.

Nels Walberg vs. F. E. Griggs, suit
for damages appealed from J. P.
court Pr. 5. Dismissed.

Tobe Cude and Chester Teel vs.
W. W. Gardner, suit for labor bill,
appealed from J. P. court Pr. 5.
Plaintiff's motion for non-suit ac-
cepted.

**INTEREST IN PROGRESSIVE
BUSINESS FOR SALE**

MY ONE-HALF INTEREST IN
THE GAINES-KOLLMAN CHEVRO-
LET CO. OF HONDO IS FOR SALE.
WILL MAKE VERY ATTRACTIVE
PROPOSITION IF SOLD WITHIN
NEXT THIRTY DAYS.—ROBT. L.
KOLLMAN. 1 2tc

**HONDO C. OF C. DISCUSSES
CIVIC IMPROVEMENTS**

Crow, Fritz Belschner, and Rudolph
Rath was appointed to arrange the
details.

The president reported that he had
contacted Mr. Maddux, district high-
way engineer, regarding some stop-
and-go lights for the main street
intersections on the highway. Mr. Mad-
dux will advise the Chamber of Com-
merce in the next few days as to
whether or not these lights may be
secured free from the highway de-
partment.

A committee composed of H. E.
Haass, A. G. Walker, and Louis
Grube, was appointed to investigate
the possibility of making some civic
improvements through PWA grants
or through the WPA.

The regular meeting for August
will be held in the court house at
7:30 the evening of August 9, the
Chamber having voted to dispense
with the usual dinner at that time.

**Hondo To Go On the Air —Teachers
Banquet Planned.**

Sixteen members of the Chamber
of Commerce were present at its
monthly meeting Tuesday evening.
The Chamber voted unanimously to
accept the invitation of the Pitluk
Advertising Co. to present Hondo
over the air in one of Ken McClure's
broadcasts over WOAL. The chair ap-
pointed Henry Merriman, S. A. Jung-
man, and H. E. Haass as a committee
to complete arrangements with the
company and to prepare a script for
use by Mr. McClure.

The Chamber appropriated \$7.00
to the 4-H Club to apply on expenses
of members winning a trip to the
short course at College Station.

A banquet will be held the evening
of September 13 honoring the teach-
ers. A committee composed of Bill

SPARKS

Being News, Views and Reviews
by the
Managing Editor

The thought implied by the sign
of the Anvil and the title of this col-
umn is "Strike the Anvil and let the
Sparks fly where they will". In the
absence of the M. E. and chief ham-
mer-slinger we are going to do a lit-
tle "pinch-hitting" on our own.

If there's one thing our fellow
townsmen bring back to us stay-at-
homes from their travels in and out
of this State it is the fact that no-
where are there as good crops, as
pleasant (if possible at 103 degrees)
climate, or as bright prospects as in
Medina County. That is something
for which we should all be thankful.

Cheerful news in this week's pa-
per are the reports of the sound fi-
nancial condition of our banks and
the announcement by Mr. Heath of
the high percentage of tax collections
over previous years. Somebody
has money. And if you want to be
heartened further take a look at the
substantial new residences and fine
new business institutions built in
Hondo the past year, ride around on
our paved streets and N. B. all the
other improvements in the town. And
if the old adage that many weddings
is an evidence of good times is true,
then Hondo is on a boom.

Two liquor law violations came up
in County Court this week, the first
a conviction for selling beer without
a license, and the second a charge
against a liquor dealer of selling beer
to minors. Sheriff Schuehle informs
us that the latter case is the first of
its kind to come up in Medina County
since the repeal of the 18th
amendment, and urges that all liquor
dealers and others take heed of the
laws as they are very stringent and
that all violators will be prosecuted.
Prohibition is dead and buried; let's
keep the ghost from walking.

Attention is again called this week
to the sample ballot printed else-
where in this paper to be used in the
Democratic primary on July 23rd.
General talk in Hondo has it that
the run-off for the Democratic nomi-
nation for governor will be between W.
Lee O'Daniel, a sort of musical mis-
sionary in politics, and William Mc-
Craw, a veteran in the game. Mr.
Barry, president of the Chamber of
Commerce, informs us that Mr. O'-
Daniel has been asked to make an ap-
pearance in Hondo between now and
July 23rd, but as we go to press he
has had no reply from the gubernatorial
candidate.

These dim sparks probably won't
sting anyone but the pinch-hitter
who raised 'em. We'll know as soon
as the M. E. returns and berates us
for taking on too much authority and
over-estimating our power behind
the hammer. Then we'll need our
friends with the soothing salve—
then will be the time to subscribe!
—A. D.

THE FORGOTTEN MAN



The Brown Mouse

By HERBERT QUICK

"Well, then," said Newton. "don't tell the teacher that pa knew which cows were good and which were poor. If any one in this district wants to know about their cows they'll have to come to this shop. And I can tell you that it'll pay 'em to come, too. If they're going to make anything selling cream. Wait, until we get out our reports on the herds, ma!"

The women were rather stampeded by this onslaught of the irregular troops—especially Mrs. Peterson. She felt a flutter of pride in her son. But it was strongly mingled with a motherly desire to spank him. The deputization rose, with a unanimous feeling that had been scored upon.

"Cows!" scoffed Mrs. Peterson. "If we leave you in this job, Mr. Irwin, our children will know nothing but cows and hens and soils and grains—and where will the culture come in?" "Culture!" exclaimed Jim. "Why—why, after ten years of the sort of school I would give you if I were a better teacher and could have my way."

"Don't bother, Jim," said Mrs. Bonner sneeringly. "You won't be teaching the Woodruff school that long."

All this time, the dark-faced Cracker had been glooming from a corner, earnestly seeking to fathom the wrongness he sensed in the gathering. Now he came forward.

"I reckon I may be making a mistake to say anything," said he. "We all is strangers hyeh, an' we're pore; but I must speak out for Mr. Jim—I must! Don't turn him out, folks. If he's done mo' fr us than evah any one done in the world!"

"What do you mean?" asked Mrs. Peterson.

"I mean," said Raymond, "that when Mr. Jim began talking school to us, we was a pore no-count lot without any learnin', with nothin' to talk about except our wrongs, an' our enefes. You see the meanness of the Iowa folks. The meanness of the Iowa folks. You see we didn't understand you. An' now, we have hope. We done got hope from this school. We're goin' to make good in the world. We're gettin' education. We're all learnin' to use books. My little sister will be as good as anybody, if you'll just let Mr. Jim alone in this school—as good as any one. An' I'll be pap get a farm, and we'll work and think at the same time, an' be happy!"

CHAPTER VIII

Jennie Arranges a Christmas Party.

Miss Jennie Woodruff of the Woodruff district was a sensible country girl. Being sensible, she tried to avoid upishness. But she did feel some little sense of increased importance as she drove her father's little runabout over the smooth earth roads.

The crisp December weather, just before Christmas. The weather itself was stimulating, and in the little car visiting the one hundred or more rural schools soon to come under her supervision, she rather fancied the picture of herself, clothed in more or less authority and quelling it over her little army of teachers.

Mr. Haakon Peterson was phlegmatically conscious that she made rather an agreeable picture, as she stopped her car alongside his top buggy to talk with him. She had bright blue eyes, fluffy brown hair, a complexion whipped pink by the breeze, and she smiled at him ingratiatingly.

"Don't you think father is lovely?" said she. "He is going to let me use the runabout when I visit the schools."

"That will be good," said Haakon. "It will save you lots of time. I hope you make the county pay for the gasoline."

"I haven't thought about that," said Jennie. "Everybody's been so nice to me—I want to give as well as receive."

"Why," said Haakon, "you will just begin to receive when your salary begins in January."

"Oh, no!" said Jennie. "I've received much more than that now! You don't know how proud I feel. So many nice men I never knew before, and all my old friends like you working for me in the convention and at the polls, just as if I amounted to something."

"And you don't know how proud I feel," said Haakon, "to have in county office a little girl I used to hold on my lap."

Haakon was a rather richer man than the colonel, and not a little proud of his ascent to affluence. A mild-spoken, soft-voiced Scandinavian, he was quite completely Americanized, and his influence was always worth fifty to sixty Scandinavian votes in any county election. He was a good party man and conscious of being entitled to his voice in party matters. This seemed to him an opportunity for exerting a bit of political influence.

"Jennie," said he, "this man Yim Irwin needs to be lined up."

"Lined up! What do you mean?"

"The way he is doing in the school," said Haakon, "is all wrong. If you can't line him up, he will make you trouble. We must look ahead. Everybody has his friends, and Yim

Irwin has his friends. If you have trouble with him, his friends will be against you when we want to nominate you for a second term. The county is getting close. If we go to convention without your home delegation it would weaken you, and if we nominate you, every piece of trouble like this cuts down your vote. You ought to line him up and have him do right."

"But he is so funny," said Jennie. "He likes you," said Haakon. "You can line him up."

Jennie blushed, and to conceal her slight embarrassment, got out for the purpose of cranking her machine. "But if I cannot line him up?" said she.

"I rank," said Haakon, "if you can't line him up, you will have a chance to rework his certificate when you take office."

Jennie thought of Mr. Peterson's suggestion as to "lining up" Jim Irwin as so thoroughly sensible that she gave it a good deal of thought that day. To be sure, everybody had always favored "more practical education," and Jim's farm arithmetic, farm physiology, farm reading and writing, cow-testing exercises, seed analysis, corn clubs and the tomato, poultry and pig clubs he proposed to have in operation the next summer, seemed highly practical; but to Jennie's mind, the fact that they introduced dissension in the neighborhood and promised to make her official life vexatious seemed ample proof that Jim's work was visionary and impractical. Poor Jennie was not aware of the fact that new truth always comes bringing, not peace to mankind, but a sword.

"Father," said she that night, "let's have a little Christmas party."

"All right," said the colonel. "Whom shall we invite?"

"Don't laugh," said she. "I want to invite Jim Irwin and his mother, and nobody else."

"All right," reiterated the colonel. "But why?"

"Oh," said Jennie, "I want to see whether I can talk Jim out of some of his foolishness."

"You want to line him up, do you?" said the colonel. "Well, that's good politics, and incidentally, you may get some good ideas out of Jim."

"Rather unlikely," said Jennie.

"I don't know about that," said the colonel, smiling. "I begin to think that



"Talk Jim Out of Some of His Foolishness."

Jim's a Brown Mouse. I've told you about the Brown Mouse, haven't I?"

"Yes," said Jennie. "You've told me. But Professor Darbishire's brown mice were simply wild and in corrigible creatures. Just because it happens to emerge suddenly from the forests of heredity. It doesn't prove that the Brown Mouse is any good."

"Justin Morgan was a Brown Mouse," said the colonel. "And he founded the greatest breed of horses in the world."

"You say that," said Jennie. "The cause you're a lover of the Morgan horse."

"Napoleon Bonaparte was a Brown Mouse," said the colonel. "So was George Washington, and so was Peter the Great. Whenever a Brown Mouse appears he changes things in a little way or a big way."

"For the better, always?" asked Jennie.

"No," said the colonel. "The Brown Mouse may throw back to slant-headed savagery. But Jim . . . sometimes I think Jim is the kind of Mendelian segregation out of which we get Franklins and Edisons and their sort. You may get some good ideas out of Jim. Let us have them here for Christmas, by all means."

There is no doubt that on Christmas day Jennie Woodruff was justified in thinking that they were a queer couple. They weren't like the Woodruffs, at all. They were of a different pattern. To be sure, Jim's clothes were not especially noteworthy, being just shiny, and frayed at cuff and instep, and short of sleeve and leg, and ill-fitting and cheap. Jim's queerness lay not so much in his clothes as in his personality.

On the other hand, Jennie could not help thinking that Mrs. Irwin's queerness was to be found almost solely in her clothes. The black alpaca looked underliably respectable. Jennie felt it must have a story—a story in which the stooped, rusty, somber old lady looked like a character drawn to harmonize with the period just after the war.

But Jennie had the keenness to see that if Mrs. Irwin could have had an up-to-date costume she would have become a rather ordinary and not badly-looking old lady. What Jennie failed to divine was that if Jim could have invested a hundred dollars in the services of tailors, haberdashers, barbers and other specialists in personal appearance, and could have blotted out

his record as her father's field-hand, he would have seemed to her a distinguished-looking young man. Not handsome, of course, but the sort people look after—and follow.

"Come to dinner," said Mrs. Woodruff, who at this juncture had a hired girl, but was yoked to the oar nevertheless when it came to turkey and the other fixings of a Christmas dinner. "It's good enough, what there is of it, and there's enough of it such as it is—but the dressing in the turkey would be better for a little more sage!"

The bountiful meal piled mountain-high for guest and hired help and family melted away in a manner to delight the hearts of Mrs. Woodruff and Jennie. The colonel, in stiff starched shirt, black tie and frock coat, carved with much empressment, and Jim felt almost for the first time a sense of the value of manner.

"I had bigger turkeys," said Mrs. Woodruff to Mrs. Irwin. "but I thought it would be better to cook two turkeys instead of one great big gobbler with meat as tough as tripe and stuffed full of fat."

"One of the hens would 'a' been plenty," replied Mrs. Irwin. "How much did they weigh?"

"About fifteen pounds apiece," was the answer. "The gobbler would 'a' weighed thirty, I guess. He's pure Mammoth Bronze."

"I wish," said Jim, "that we could get a few breeding birds of the wild bronze turkeys from Mexico."

"Why?" asked the colonel.

"They're the original blood of the domestic bronze turkeys," said Jim. "and they're bigger and handsomer than the pure bred bronzes, even. They're a better stock than the North-

ern wild turkeys from which our common birds originated."

"Where do you learn all these things, Jim?" asked Mrs. Woodruff. "I declare, I often tell Woodruff that it's as good as a lecture to have Jim Irwin at table. My intelligence has fallen since you quit working here, Jim."

There came into Jim's eyes the gleam of the man devoted to a cause—and the dinner tended to develop into a lecture. Jennie saw a little more plainly wherein his queerness lay.

"There's an education in any meal. If we would just use the things on the table as materials for study, and follow their trails back to their starting points. This turkey takes us back to the chaparral of Mexico—"

"What's chaparral?" asked Jennie, as a diversion. "It's one of the words I have seen so often and know perfectly to speak it and read it—but after all it's just a word, and nothing more."

"They are not even living words," answered Jim. "unless we have clothed them in flesh and blood through some sort of concrete notion. 'Chaparral' to Jennie is just the ghost of a word. Our civilization is full of inefficiency because we are satisfied to give our children these ghosts and shucks and busts of words, instead of the things themselves, that can be seen and hefted and handled and tested and heard."

(To Be Continued)

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Beach Habits of France

Began Only Century Ago

A hundred years ago beach life did not exist in France, and nobody bathed in the sea, writes H. Cossira, in a Milwaukee Journal translation of Le Journal de la Femme.

But sea bathing became a fashion in 1813, when Josephine's daughter, Queen Hortense of Holland, came to Normandy for health reasons. In August, 1824, the Duchess De Barry spent two weeks in Dieppe, and made this beach fashionable. For several years in succession the daughter-in-law of the king was faithful to the Norman beach, where people waited for her impatiently to open the season. Her first bath was a veritable event. Madame wore black satin trousers down to the feet with a big tunic, which was almost as long, while a small bonnet of waxcloth hid her hair. Faithful to the tradition of the town, the mayor accompanied the royal highness to the water, holding her right hand. For this occasion he wore evening dress and varnished slippers, carrying a silk top hat in the other hand. The duchess did not release the hand of the poor mayor till he stood in the water up to the knees.

Trouville, the other great French beach, was discovered by Alexander Dumas in 1834, also on the Norman coast. The author of "The Three Musketeers" stayed at a simple inn, and, after returning to Paris, waxed so enthusiastic about the charming beach that finally all fashionable folk of the period adopted Trouville as their resort. Within ten years Trouville grew like a mushroom town of hotels and villas, and in 1860 the famous Saturday train to Trouville—the husbands' train—was organized from Paris.

Deauville became soon its rival. In 1858 the Duke De Morny enticed the entire imperial court to come with him to Deauville. Yet Trouville remained long supreme. The entire Normandy coast became lined with smart beach resorts in the years from 1850 to 1880. Then suddenly the favor turned to the Silver coast and Biarritz, which, in the middle of the Nineteenth century, had been merely a poor hamlet of fishermen, was made fashionable by Empress Eugenie of France.

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LaCOSTE LEDGERETTES

From The LaCoste Ledger

ROAD ENTHUSIASTS TO MEET THURSDAY, JULY 14.

The need for a "farm to market road" that will not only enable farmers to bring their products to market but at the same time will provide a convenient way of travel between three or four trunk-line highways was again called to the attention of those present at the meeting of the

Castroville Chamber of Commerce on Tuesday night and the committee on highways was urged to revive the movement launched some months ago calling for the building of a road from Pleasanton to Pandera through Potet, Lytle, LaCoste and Castroville. Such a road, it was pointed out, will not only provide a convenient way for farmers to get produce to market but will also connect important through highways and provide a by-pass that will save many miles in travel.

Following the meeting of the chamber, the committee in charge of road matters was convened and decided to ask representatives from the various towns to attend a meeting at Castroville on Thursday, July 14th, to take steps to get such a road constructed. The committee chairman urged that each and every town affected by the proposed road send a delegation to the meeting. Such a road has long been considered, but little has been done toward securing its construction.

A most enjoyable time was had at a picnic held July 4th at the river front of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Trip's home near Macdona. A delicious picnic dinner was served and guests declare Ed Trip is an artist when it comes to preparing barbecue. The meat was well done and well seasoned. During the afternoon games were enjoyed by some while others attended the ball game between the Pioneer Oilers and LaCoste Boosters. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. Walter Geiger and son, Walter Edward, Mrs. Emily Jungman, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Trip and children, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jungman, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Carlie, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. A. Fischer, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Zerr and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Trip.

Mrs. F. J. Keller and sons were Castroville visitors last Thursday. Mat. Bader spent several days with his parents near Devine the first part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Mangold from Castroville were visitors here Tuesday.

Mrs. Edmund Keller was in San Antonio Tuesday morning on business.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Christilles and children spent the holidays with relatives at Fredericksburg.

Miss Irma Spitz has returned from a two weeks' stay with her sisters in San Antonio.

Frank Zinsmeyer and sons from Rio Medina were LaCoste visitors Tuesday.

Mrs. Wilfred Ahr from near Atascosa was a LaCoste visitor one day the past week.

Mrs. Louisa Hitzfelder and daughter-in-law, Mrs. Herman Hitzfelder, were San Antonio visitors Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Christilles and Miss Marie Christilles visited relatives and friends at Castroville Wednesday evening.

H. H. Crow, Secretary-Treasurer of Home Relief Association of Medina County, was a visitor here Wednesday.

Mrs. Sterling Forth of LaCoste and her sister from San Antonio have returned from a pleasant visit in St. Jo, Mo.

Fred Jungman and daughter, Matilda, from Rio Medina were visitors here Thursday of last week.

Misses Patricia and Grace Salzman of San Antonio are spending the week with Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Mechler at the Sauz.

Mrs. E. S. Christilles and son of San Antonio and Miss Marie Christilles enjoyed a trip to Corpus Christi over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Brookshire and baby and Gilbert Springfield enjoyed a visit with Mr. Brookshire's mother in Granger last week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Salzman and son, Wilfred, and daughter, Jane were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Weik and family in San Antonio Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bohl and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Echtle and son were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Simon in San Antonio Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Pierce of San Antonio were short visitors here Sunday and were accompanied home by Miss Frances Mechler who will visit in the city for a few days.

Mrs. Otto Jungman and daughter, Hazel, and Misses Florentina Bohl and Isabell Mangold and brother, Ivan, were Hondo visitors last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Hutzler and daughter and Leo Hitzfelder spent the 4th along the beach at Corpus Christi, returning home Tuesday. They report an enjoyable time.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Mangold, August Mangold and Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Mechler and children of the Sauz were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Jungman one day this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Trafton and son of Bastrop visited with their parents at Atascosa and LaCoste Friday. They were accompanied home by Harvey Lee Lindsey, who will stay for several weeks.

Miss Mildred Keller writes from Los Angeles, Calif., that she is having a jolly good time and that California scenery is even more beautiful than the postcard pictures indicate.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Hitzfelder, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Bohl and children and Lillian and Mary Mae Hitzfelder, Mr. and Mrs. Oswald Keller and sons, Miss Bernice Keller and Ervin Hitzfelder attended the bazaar at Medina Lake Sunday.

Mrs. Otto Jungman and Donald and Sylvan Mangold accompanied

ABOUT PEOPLE YOU KNOW.

From The Sabinal Sentinel.

Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Honnegar of Houston and Raymond Davenport of Sanderson were among the out of town people who attended the Fourth celebration.

Miss Louisa Ihnkin of Castroville is visiting her sister, Mrs. Mary Rheinhardt, this week.

LEAKY

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Tampke and Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Shackelford entertained a group of friends with a barbecue supper at Camp Storey, Sunday evening.

KNIPPA

Mrs. Martin Knippa and children spent the week-end at D'Hanis with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Carle.

From The Atascosa County Monitor.

Leon Steidle of Austin was a business visitor in this city Friday.

Miss Adriene Wurzbach of Kansas City, Mo., and Miss Mary Frances Mansfield of San Antonio, were guests last week of Miss Dorothy Marie Steidle.

Miss Mildred Mangold has returned to her home in LaCoste after a two weeks' visit with Miss Dorothy Marie Steidle.

Glen Steidle was home from the State University over the week-end. Clyde Mangold of Port Clark, Texas, visited in the A. N. Steidle and H. P. Mehner homes over the week-end.

Zavala County Sentinel.

Supt. and Mrs. S. H. Fly and children, Sterling Jr., Bob Fischer, and Patricia, returned home this week from a couple of weeks at Austin where Supt. Fly took a course in curriculum at the University.

Mr. and Mrs. Val Vollmer have closed the local bakery for the remainder of the summer and with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr.

Misses Isabell Mangold and Hazel Jungman to Castroville Tuesday morning where the young ladies met the Yancey bus which took the 4-H boys and girls of Uvalde and Medina Counties to College Station for a week's Short Course.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jungman, Alex Jungman and Henry Zinsmeyer from here and Walter Jungman from San Antonio spent the 4th of July holidays at Corpus Christi. At Corpus they visited with Miss Hilda Jungman and Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Jungman and other friends.

Miss Doris Bippert, who was operated on at Santa Rosa Hospital Thursday for appendicitis, had recovered sufficiently Tuesday to be moved to the home of her sister, Mrs. Al Barnhill, in San Antonio. Friends who visited her Tuesday report her as rapidly regaining her strength.

Mrs. C. L. Austin and two children from Weslaco are spending a few weeks at the home of Mrs. Austin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hawkes, in LaCoste.

Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Steubing and children and Misses Thelma and Lema Steubing were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Bush and children Tuesday evening. Little Ethel stayed with her grandparents for a week's visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilfred Hutzler and children and Mrs. Josephine Biediger spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Luckenbach and children at Seguin. In the evening Mrs. Biediger and daughter, Mary Elizabeth, left Seguin for Houston where they spent several days with Mr. and Mrs. Harry Kirk and children and Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Stenzel, while the rest of the party from here returned home Sunday evening. Mrs. Biediger will visit at Seguin for several days upon her return from Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hutzler and son, Wesley, their grandson, Harvey Haby, and Adolph Biediger have returned from a very pleasant visit to El Paso and points in New Mexico where they spent a greater part of last week. They left Dunlay at 5 o'clock Tuesday morning and drove through to Ysleta, Texas, before night. There they were guests of Harold Biediger and family.

After a rest for an hour or two the Biedigers took their visitors over to El Paso and up to Mount Franklin for the evening. The next day Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Biediger took the visitors into El Paso to spend the day with their daughter, Magdalene, and son, Mr. and Mrs. Ambrose Biediger. After a very excellent dinner the guests were introduced to Old Mexico and at night enjoyed a dance across the border. Next day the party went to see the famous White Sands in New Mexico. There Mrs. Harold Biediger served dinner. From the White Sands the party drove to Cloudcroft, stopping to see the pine forests and went through the old gold mines. It was very late when the hosts and their guests got back to Mr. Biediger's place, Friday morning and the Dunlay people headed for home and arrived safely, much pleased with the trip.

CASTROVILLE. BUILDING ADDITION TO PAROCHIAL SCHOOL.

Ground was broken for the two-room addition to the Parochial school at Castroville to be completed before the new school term begins in September. Additional room was needed at the St. Louis Parochial school to take care of students that were housed in the old convent building heretofore. This structure is being remodeled into a modern school for boys with military training.

and Mrs. Joe Vollmer and little daughter, Alma Jo, will go to San Antonio and Kerrville where Mr. Val Vollmer hopes to enjoy a rest, as he has been advised by his physician. They will return in September and reopen the bakery.

Gonzales Inquirer.

LOUIS SCHOLL BREAKS LEG IN ACCIDENT.

Louis Scholl, State Park Superintendent, was seriously injured Wednesday evening, when he was mowing the grass at the park. The team ran away with the mower and Mr. Scholl's right leg was broken below the knee. He is in the Holmes Hospital and getting along as well as could be expected.

Mr. Scholl was the founder of the Beekeepers' Item, the beekeeping magazine of the South, and is known to all the beekeepers among Antioch Herald readers.

Uvalde Leader-News. NUECES RIVER JOB TO START IN FALL.

Officials of the Nueces River Conservation and Reclamation District are confident that one phase of its proposed \$33,000,000 project will be started some time in the fall, according to C. S. Fowler, president.

While they hope to have three phases of the project started this year, they are certain of only one being selected from the three. Fowler said, explaining that there was no means of determining at this time which one would be approved.

Army engineers who are making a general survey of the watershed, recently selected three phases of the project for immediate consideration. Preliminary field work has been completed on the three phases, and has been turned over to the design section.

The district hopes to have applications ready soon in which funds will be asked for immediate work on the phases. It has not been decided yet with which Federal agency the applications will be filed.

The estimated cost of the three projects is \$5,150,000. They are: A flood control program on the Seguin and Parker Creeks to protect D'Hanis, which would cost \$150,000; construction of the Con Can dam on the Frio River at a cost of \$3,500,000 to \$4,000,000, and diversion dam on the Nueces River near Laguna at a cost of \$1,000,000.

The Con Can dam would be located 22 miles from Uvalde and would back up water to the Garner State Park.

The diversion dam on the Nueces would turn water into a canal which would carry it over the Balcones Fault and back into the river. Water now is lost in holes as it passes over the fault. The canal would supply irrigation facilities for 12,000 acres.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. King spent the week-end in Hondo, as guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. F. King, Batesville.

August Marion of Devine arrived Saturday for a visit with his niece and nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hawkes, at Hacienda.

Val Verde County Herald.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hutzler and daughters, Margaret and Catherine, who reside at Bullis station on the Peco river, were through Del Rio Monday en route to their home from LaCoste, where they spent several days with friends and relatives.

Miss Clayreine Bourquet of San Antonio returned home Wednesday after spending several days in Del Rio as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Greif and Miss Doris Koehler.

Mr. and Mrs. O. Sauer of Brackettville were business visitors to Del Rio Friday.

Mrs. Adel Koehler and daughter, Ethel Mae, of LaCoste arrived in Del Rio Monday to spend several days in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Greif and on the O. J. Koehler ranch near Brackettville.

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P-R-E-S-E-N-T-S

The Three Mesquiteers are appearing currently at the Raye Theatre in "Outlaws of Sonora," another thrill-packed play of the West. Bob Livingston plays the role of a respectable cattleman and the leader of a notorious gang that has been terrorizing the countryside. Delegated by cattlemen to transport a large sum of money, he is captured by the gang and held captive. His impersonator takes advantage of the situation and extends the gang's operations, with the blame falling on the member of the Three Mesquiteers. Livingston manages to escape and the Mesquiteers with Jack Mulhall's help round up the gang.

"This Way, Please," Paramount musical comedy, which will show Sunday and Monday at the Raye has a notable cast of stars of radio and screen. They are Charles "Buddy" Rogers, Betty Grable, Mary Livingston, Flibber McGee, Moly, Ned Sparks and Glee Davis. The story is laid within the confines of a motion picture palace in which Rogers is an orchestra leader and Miss Grable is an usherette who yearns for a stage career.

Clark Gable, Myrna Loy and Spencer Tracy head the cast of "Wed. Pilot," film fare for Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, which also includes Lionel Barrymore, Ted Peasclides, Lionel Barrymore, and Rogers. The story has to do with Con-verse, a test pilot, his whirlwind romance and marriage to his wife, while Tracy, the good guy, stands on the sidelines as the constant pal and companion of both.

NOBODY'S BUSINESS.

By
Julian Capers, Jr.

The opinions here expressed are the author's own and not necessarily those of the Herald.—M. E.

AUSTIN.—Whether or not Pappy's biscuits are really cooling off in the Governor's race was the focus of attention in the capital this week-end. Lee O'Daniel, the Pied Piper of Fort Worth, continued his unique campaign. O'Daniel adherents, who have sprung up in force, derided the attacks on the flour broker as only serving to solidify his support, while the experts were interestedly watching the strategy of the other two top candidates, McCraw and Thompson. The attorney general opened up vigorously on O'Daniel, attacked his lack of experience and his hill-billy manner, but did not alter his policy of attacking nobody, but consistently held to his plan of urging his "con-servative program for Texas."

Some analysts contended McCraw's fire on O'Daniel was a clear indication that the McCraw board of strategy was desperately afraid O'Daniel would nouse their man out of the runoff, and felt their candidate had nothing to lose by sailing into the hillbilly candidate. Others claimed McCraw forces felt sure the runoff will be between their man and O'Daniel, and they might as well start the war now.

Thompson's forces apparently were skeptical of O'Daniel's strength proving enough in the actual voting to get the flour man into the runoff. So they put Myron Elalock, chairman of the Democratic State executive committee, on the radio to fire a few mild blasts of ridicule at McCraw. Thompson, himself, has attacked no other candidate so far, thus getting the double benefit of winning considerable support for a clean campaign, and maintaining an excellent position to bid for everybody's support in a runoff.

School Fund Row

The annual row over the fixing of the per capita school apportionment, and the tax rate necessary to finance it, broke out here this week. It attracted a large delegation of teachers, school officials, taxpayers' representatives, text-book salesmen, and others who profit by the "big business" of the public schools.

The Board of Education after long argument adopted a resolution advising the Automatic Tax Board that \$17,829,161 from the available school fund, will be needed to guarantee a six months term next year. This represents a per capita apportionment of about \$24—\$2 higher than the present \$22 highest-in-history apportionment. It also recommended \$2,000,000 for text-books. This would require upping the present State ad valorem levy from 7 cents to somewhere between 21 and 32 cents. The usual arguments about whether the board should fix the apportionment in advance of the Automatic Tax Board's action, or wait until the tax rate is fixed and then apportion available money to conform, broke out. Conflicting laws make even the lawyers doubtful about the proper procedure. Gov. Alfred contends the Legislature never intended a rate higher than one required to pay a \$17.50 apportionment should be levied. The State school fund now receives substantially more than the constitutional allocation of certain special taxes, including gross production tax on oil, and sales tax on cigarettes. Increasing revenue from these levies is certain to bring a movement from economy advocates in the next Legislature to cut the schools' share of these special taxes back to the minimum provided in the Constitution.

Move To Save Lives

Seeking to cut the heavy toll of traffic deaths and injuries on Texas highways, the Texas Traffic Safety Council met here with representatives of other interested groups and laid plans for a three-year co-ordinated program of engineering, education and enforcement. C. J. Rutland of Dallas, president of the Council, presided, and co-operation of the Texas Good Roads Association, Public Safety Department, Highway Department, League of Texas Municipalities and Texas Safety Executives Association was pledged by spokesmen for these groups.

Austin Notes

Members of the board of control are engaged in their biennial task of compiling budget recommendations for the various State departments, to be submitted to the lawmakers in January. The Railroad Commission and

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BOY SCOUT NOTES.

The second section of the Council Camp will open Saturday, July 16th, at 10:00 A. M. for ten days, at which time camp will be assembled and each unit assigned to quarters. Troops from the Power, Karnes, Mohair, Frio, LaSalle District and San Antonio will be represented at the second section of camp, which looks to be one of the most successful held.

Van K. Jones, who has had many years of camping experience having attended one National Jamboree and two World Jamborees, is the Camp Director assisted by G. W. Putnam and W. A. Nicholson, Field Scout Executives. William Coffey is the Swimming Director, having just graduated from the American Red Cross Aquatic School, and Jack Upshaw, Eagle Scout, is in charge of the Health and Safety Program. Jake Palinsky is the camp cook again, having held that position for the past eleven years.

Camp is located ten miles above Kerrville on Highway No. 87 to Comfort and Highway No. 27 from Comfort on, in the heart of the hills and across the river from Ingram. This beautiful 145 acres is situated on a bluff high above peaceful Indian Creek and the Guadalupe River. The Pioneer Camp last season uncovered many unusual specimens—39 different shrubs and trees have been marked as well as 82 flowers have been found on the premises. The camp is not so far away from home that distance is much of a problem; yet, it is far enough away that the trip becomes a real adventure full of romance and tradition.

The Seven State Teachers Colleges presented their estimates this week. The Board of Control, the largest spending agency in the State government, makes the budget estimates for all other departments—but the Legislature usually scraps the recommendations and rewrites the budgets, anyway. . . Mrs. Louise Snow Phinney, who has been chief clerk of the House of Representatives for several terms, will not be a candidate for reelection by the 46th Legislature. Her husband is Carl Phinney, an able and popular young Dallas barrister. . . The sudden death of Jeff Strickland, ex-Senator and Secretary of State under Gov. P. Neff, brought sorrow to a large circle of friends throughout Texas. Strickland was known as one of the most effective lobbyists in Austin, representing theatre, sulphur and insurance interests. . . Lynn Landrum, former editor of the recently merged Dallas Journal, and a first-class writing man (whether you agree with him or not) devoted his column in the Dallas News last Saturday to rebuking a gubernatorial candidate who has attacked and maligned newspaper reporters who don't think this candidate will win (and none seems to think he will). Landrum's defense of Walter Hornady, the News' able political commentator, is worth reading.

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6. Banking house	\$3,861.22
Furniture and fixtures	1,557.17
8. Reserve with Federal Reserve bank	5,418.39
9. Cash, balances with other banks, and cash items in process of collection	95,209.22
	109,443.96
TOTAL ASSETS	\$755,277.21

LIABILITIES

14. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$567,800.28
16. State, county, and municipal deposits	106,512.04
18. Deposits of other banks, including certified and cashier's checks outstanding	6,550.00
Deposits secured by pledge of loans and/or investments	\$106,512.04
Deposits not secured by pledge of loans and/or investments	574,350.28
TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$680,862.32

29. Other liabilities	2,036.21
30. Capital account:	

Class A preferred stock, 190 shares, par \$100.00 per share, retireable at \$100.00 per share	\$50,000.00
Common stock, 310 shares, par \$100.00 per share	15,000.00
Surplus	6,378.68
Undivided profits—net	1,000.00
Preferred stock retirement fund	
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNT	72,378.68
TOTAL LIABILITIES	755,277.21

MEMORANDUM: Loans and Investments Pledged to Secure Liabilities

31. United States Government obligations, direct and fully guaranteed	\$ 59,700.00
32. Other bonds, stocks, and securities	15,500.00
TOTAL PLEDGED (excluding rediscounts)	\$ 75,200.00
34.	
35. Pledged:	75,200.00
Against State, county, and municipal deposits	\$ 75,200.00
TOTAL PLEDGED	\$ 75,200.00

STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF MEDINA, ss:
I, Chas. Finger, cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
CHAS. FINGER, Cashier.

SWORN TO and subscribed before me this 8th day of July, 1938.
(L. S.) JO LEBOLD, Notary Public.

CORRECT—ATTEST:
J. M. FINGER
CLAUDE W. GILLIAM
D. H. FLY
Directors.

SAN ANTONIO LIVESTOCK MARKET.

Monday, July 11, 1938.

(Federal-State Market News Serv.)

Hogs, receipts 700. Trading active at prices strong to 10c higher, spots 15c higher than late last week. Practical top \$9.20 for most good to choice 175 to 250-lb. butchers, extreme top \$9.25 for one lot of around 200-lb. choice hogs to packers. Good to choice 160 to 175-lbs. \$8.75 to \$9.20, 140 to 160-lbs. \$8.25 to \$8.75, and 250 to 300-lbs. \$8.75 to \$9.20. Good packing sows mostly \$7.75 to \$8.00. Few stocker pigs \$7.50 to \$8.00.

Cattle, receipts 1,500; calves 1,600. Trading generally active on liberal supplies. Cows steady to strong, and most other classes slaughter and stocker offerings fully steady with late last week.

Three loads of plain 879-lb. grass steers \$6.25, 3 loads 899-lb. Brahman Crossbreds \$6.40, load 898-lb. medium steers \$6.50 and a load 1092-lbs. at \$7.00. A truck-in-load of good 1371-lb. grass steers \$8.00. A few thin Jersey cutter steers sold down to \$4.00. Plain and medium light weight grass yearlings mostly \$4.50 to \$6.50, few to \$7.00, good kinds scarce. Good calves mostly \$7.00 to \$7.25, few lots of choice kinds to \$7.50. Plain calves down around \$4.50, few culls down to \$5.50. Low cutter and cutter cows mostly \$3.25 to \$4.25, few \$3.00. Plain and medium butcher kinds \$4.25 to \$4.75, good cows mostly \$5.00 to \$5.25, few \$5.50. Bulls mostly \$3.75 to \$5.25, odd head \$5.35 and above. Bulk of the medium to good stocker calves \$6.00 to \$7.00, few good steer calves to \$7.50. Plain and medium stocker yearlings \$4.50 to \$6.50. Two loads 721-lb. stocker steers \$5.75.

Sheep, receipts 200; goats 100. Market slow and weak. Few shorn wethers \$2.90 same wethers and lambs unsold late. Truck lot of Angora goats \$1.90, some late arrivals unsold.

Try your home man first when you are in the market for anything. It is your home man who helps build up your home town and home community and money spent with him helps all. No town was ever built up by trade that goes somewhere else. tf.

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Official Statement of Financial Condition of the

D'HANIS STATE BANK

At D'Hanis, State of Texas, at the close of business on the 30th day of June, 1938, published in the Hondo Anvil Herald, a newspaper printed and published at Hondo, State of Texas, on the 15th day of July, 1938.

RESOURCES

Loans and discounts on personal or collateral security	\$ 45,964.90
Loans secured by real estate	1,669.50
Securities of U. S., any State or political subdivision thereof	43,583.73
Other bonds and stocks	
Owned	1.00
Customers bonds held for safekeeping	900.00
Furniture and Fixtures	650.00
Real Estate owned, other than banking house	1,000.00
Cash and due from approved reserve agents.	56,794.61

TOTAL \$150,563.74
GRAND TOTAL \$150,563.74

LIABILITIES.

Capital Stock	\$10,000.
Income Debits—	
Taxes Sold	\$ 8,700.
Total Capital Structure	18,700.00
Surplus Fund	3,250.00
Undivided Profits, net.	1,637.81
Reserve for Retirement of Debentures	600.00
Dividends unpaid	300.00
Individual Deposits subject to check, including time deposits due in 30 days.	123,875.93
Customers' bonds deposited for safekeeping	900.00
Reserve for Dividends Payable in Common Stock	1,300.00

TOTAL \$150,563.74
GRAND TOTAL \$150,563.74

STATE OF TEXAS,
County of Medina.

We, E. Zander, as President, and J. P. Ephraim, as Cashier of said bank, each of us, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

E. ZANDER,
President,
J. P. EPHRAIM,
Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of July, A. D. 1938.
(L. S.) JNO. B. NESTER,
Notary Public, Medina County, Texas.

CORRECT—ATTEST:

ERIC ROTHE,
M. M. KOCH,
GUS ROTHE,
Directors.

The Anvil Herald phone is 127. Call two rings for office or three rings for residence. tf.

SAMPLE BALLOT

I am a Democrat and pledge myself to support the nominee of this primary.

For Governor:

JOSEPH KING of Harris County
THOS. SELF of Houston County
W. LEE O'DANIEL of Tarrant County
TOM F. HUNTER of Wichita County
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For Lieutenant Governor:

GEORGE A. DAVISSON, Jr., of Eastland County
ALTON M. MEAD of Tom Green County
JOHN LEE SMITH of Throckmorton County
G. H. NELSON of Lubbock County
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For Attorney General:

LEWIS M. GOODRICH of Wheeler County
RALPH YARBOROUGH of Travis County
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WALTER WOODUL of Harris County
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For Associate Justice of Supreme Court:

RICHARD CRITZ of Williamson County
W. H. DAVIDSON of Jefferson County
TOM SMILEY of Karnes County

For Judge of Court of Criminal Appeals (Regular Term):

F. L. HAWKINS of Ellis County

For Judge of Court of Criminal Appeals (Unexpired Term):

JAMES A. STEVENS of Knox County
HARRY N. GRAVES of Williamson County
CHARLES A. PIPPEN of Dallas County

For Railroad Commissioner:

ROBERT A. STUART of Tarrant County
G. A. JERRY SADLER of Gregg County
FRANK MORRIS of Dallas County
JOHN WOOD of Shelby County
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C. V. TERRELL of Wise County

For Comptroller of Public Accounts:

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W. E. JAMES of Travis County

For Commissioner of Agriculture:

LEONARD WESTFALL of Haskell County
GEORGE H. ALLEN of Smith County
J. E. McDONALD of Ellis County

For Congress, 15th District:

MILTON H. WEST of Cameron County

For Associate Justice Fourth Supreme Judicial District (Full Term):

W. O. MURRAY of Bexar County

For Associate Justice Fourth Supreme Judicial District (Unexpired Term):

C. S. SLATTON of Bexar County

For Representative 77th District:

JOE MONKHOUSE of Uvalde County

For District Attorney 38th District:

R. J. NOONAN of Medina County

For County Attorney:

FRANK X. VANCE
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For County Commissioner Prec. No. 4:

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Mrs. Charlie Brown of Los Angeles, Texas, is here visiting her mother, Mrs. Joe Bader.

Miss Betty Tondre of Castroville spent last week here as the guest of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Mechler.

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Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Barry and children returned Friday from an extended visit in Smithville and McAllen, and other points in the Valley.

FOR A COOL SHAVE AND AN UP-TO-DATE HAIR CUT GO TO BARNES AND COFFEY AT THE BARNES BARBER SHOP.

Mrs. Jake Haby and daughter, Miss Pauline Haby, were here from Dunlay Tuesday and paid this office a pleasant visit.

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METHODIST NOTES.

Morning Worship at 10:00. Church School at 11:00. Evening Service at 8:00. Choir Practice Wednesday at 8:00. —W. S. Highsmith, Pastor.

ST. PAUL'S LUTHERAN CHURCH.

Announcement for Sunday, July 17: Sunday school and Bible class at 9:00, and English services at 10:00. God intended that the Sabbath should mean more than a day for extra sleep and social affairs.

BAPTIST CHURCH SERVICES.

Sunday School 9:45 A. M. Preaching Service 11:00 A. M. Training Service 7:00 P. M. Prayer Service 8:00 P. M. Choir Practice, Wed. 8:45 P. M. W. M. S., Thursday 4:00 P. M.

We most cordially invite all who can to attend and take part in any and all of these services. Come! —I. V. GARRISON, Pastor.

POLITICAL ADVERTISEMENT.

In view of his outstanding and distinguished record of public service and his sound judgment on governmental matters, I hope you will vote for



COKE STEVENSON of Junction, Kimble County, Texas, for Lieutenant Governor in the coming Primaries. —A. P. JOHNSON.

(Paid for by A. P. Johnson)



The Ladies' Bridge Club met Tuesday afternoon with Mrs. L. E. Heath as hostess. Mrs. Ed Cameron won high score and Mrs. L. J. Brucks won second high score. Refreshments of molded vegetable salad, saltines, cookies and iced tea were served to the following: Mesdames L. J. Brucks, Ed. Cameron, H. B. Hubert, Robert Kollman, Fletcher Davis, O. B. Taylor, J. M. Finger, C. D. Eddleman and L. E. Heath.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Schweers were hosts to a number of friends Tuesday evening when they entertained with a contract bridge party. Trophies were awarded Mrs. N. C. Johnson, Mrs. H. B. Hubert and Mrs. O. B. Taylor. Fruit punch was served throughout the evening. The personnel included Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Barry, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Sadler, Capt. and Mrs. C. D. Eddleman, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Heath, Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Hubert, Mesdames J. M. Finger, L. J. Brucks and O. B. Taylor, and Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Schweers.

The Thursday Bridge Club was entertained by Mrs. L. J. Brucks on Thursday afternoon of last week, the personnel including the following members and guests: Mesdames L. E. Heath, C. D. Eddleman, E. J. Leinweber, H. J. Meyer, H. B. Hubert, O. H. Miller, R. J. Noonan, J. M. Finger, R. C. Rath, N. C. Johnson and B. R. Eichenroth, and Miss Josephine Brucks. Club prizes were won by Mrs. Noonan for high and Mrs. Finger for second. Guest award went to Mrs. Eddleman. Refreshments of molded jello salad, olives, saltines, pecan dreams and iced tea were served at the close of the games.

Dr. and Mrs. T. B. Knopp entertained members of the Wednesday Night Bridge Club and several guests with an all fresco bridge party Wednesday night. The terrace, where the tables were placed, was lighted with vari-colored lights outlining the shrubbery. Club trophies went to Mrs. L. J. Brucks and Dr. H. J. Meyer; guest awards were made Mrs. R. C. Rath and Dr. W. B. Meyer. Refreshing punch was served to the following personnel: Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Heath, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Rath, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Starnes, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Brucks, Dr. and Mrs. H. J. Meyer, Miss Josephine Brucks, Dr. W. B. Meyer, and Dr. and Mrs. Knopp.

The Anvil Herald is welcomed in Hondo homes — let it carry your message to the eyes of its readers.

Mrs. Walter B. Meyer and Miss Mary Elizabeth Meyer left last Friday for College Station where they are guests of Mrs. Meyer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Hanna. Dr. Walter Meyer plans to join them over the week-end, and on Sunday they will return to Hondo.

Mrs. Amory Eliot and two sons of Chicago, Illinois, who are visiting relatives in San Antonio, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Monkhouse and Dr. and Mrs. W. H. Smith Saturday. Mrs. Eliot, wife of Major Eliot, will be remembered as Miss Lucy Monkhouse.

Capt. C. D. Eddleman arrived Monday to join Mrs. Eddleman and son, Jackie, who are here visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Heath. Capt. Eddleman, who has been stationed at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, visited his mother in Lake Charles, Louisiana, before joining his family here.

TO THEATRE PATRONS.

The new Raye Theatre will hereafter show TWO shows on Saturday nights, at 7:45 and 9:30. Matinee at 2:30, 10 and 15c. 1 2tc

NOTICE.

My cafe business is for sale; will sell on easy terms. —H. H. RENKEN.

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A 79½-acre farm, part of the Joe Breiten homestead, is for sale at \$34.25 per acre cash. This is a well improved place, seven-room house, good well with windmill, Delco lighting system, large barn, two chicken houses, smokehouse, etc. Good fertile soil, forty acres in cultivation and balance in pasture. Place is situated on Hondo-Devine road eleven miles southeast of Hondo. For further particulars see or write either member of HONDO LAND CO.

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COMMEMORATIVE STAMPS
ON SALE AT POST OFFICE

Of special interest to stamp collectors are two commemorative postage stamps of the three cent denomination that are now on sale at the Hondo Post Office. The first was issued to commemorate the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the ratification of the United States Constitution and was first offered for sale at Philadelphia, Pa. The other special stamp was issued to commemorate the tercentenary anniversary of the first colony of Swedish and Finnish settlers in America and was first placed on sale at Wilmington, Del., near the site of the original settlement.

Another special stamp to be issued is also of the three cent denomination and is to commemorate the sesquicentennial anniversary of the settlement of the Northwest Territory under the Ordinance of 1787. This stamp will go on sale at the post office at Marietta, Ohio, on July 15, 1938, and will be available at the local office the latter part of next week. These stamps are ideal collector's items and anyone having a collection should make it a point to add them to it.

The six-foot rattlesnake sent by Dr. A. A. Koch of Bishop to the reptile garden at the Witte Museum in San Antonio this week is reported to be the largest rattler sent to the museum this year, according to word received by Dr. Koch. The snake was over six feet long and weighed eight pounds, almost twice the size of the usual rattlesnake. It was captured by J. J. Koch, brother of Dr. Koch, in Mexico about 30 miles below Matamoros. Dr. Koch is the son of Dr. M. S. Koch and a former Hondo resident.

DOCTOR M. S. DERANKOU, OPTOMETRIST, IS LEAVING FOR CORPUS CHRISTI THE FIRST OF AUGUST, AND WILL NOT RETURN TILL THURSDAY, OCTOBER THE SIXTH. ANY ONE OF HIS PATIENTS IN NEED OF ADJUSTMENTS TO THEIR GLASSES OR HIS SERVICES, IS CORDIALLY INVITED TO SEE HIM BEFORE HE LEAVES, ON HIS USUAL HOURS HERE — THURSDAYS, FRIDAYS AND SATURDAYS.

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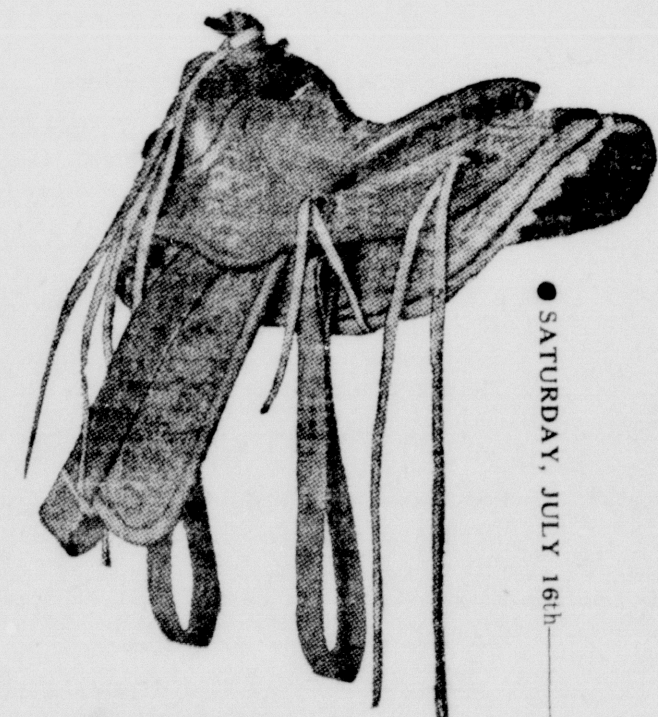
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Tom Smiley's Appeal To the People of Texas

I am a native born Texan. My people on both sides of the house have lived in Texas for more than a hundred years and my people on both sides of the house have served in the army of this country ever had. My father served in the Mexican War and in the Confederate Army. I had six uncles and seven cousins who were killed in action while serving in the Confederacy. When the World War broke out, I was County Judge of Karnes County and had the appointment of District Judge. I declined to qualify as District Judge and resigned the office of County Judge and joined the army the first day of the war. I have been in the army for the past three years with the exception of thirty days in the army and the great part of that time being service in France and Germany.

Respectfully,
TOM SMILEY,
Candidate for Associate
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Mrs. T. E. Sauter of Tarpley, who underwent a major operation on July 12th, at the Medina Hospital, is reported as doing satisfactorily.

Beat the Worms to the Profits. Use Tetra or Arsat. Sheep and Goat Drench. WINDROW DRUG STORE. 3tc.

Miss Ima Jane Nester of D'Hanis had an appendectomy performed July 13th at the Medina Hospital, and although still very sick from the effects of the operation is doing very well.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Bulgerin, Mrs. Callie Bendele and Mrs. George Bendele, Sr., spent Sunday in Leakey as guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Holmes. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Holmes, who spent several days here.

If you or your family read the German language—and all who speak it should read it—you need the Freie Presse fuer Texas, the great German language weekly newspaper of Texas. It sells for only \$2.00 per year. Remit through this office and get it and FARMING both for the \$2.00. Order the Freie Presse sent to your home and encourage the young people to enjoy the vast treasures of German literature. tf

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July 7, August Nester, D'Hanis, GMC truck.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

A. J. Berset and wife to P. M. Berset, warranty deed to 5.57 acres of land out of Lots 59 and 63, Block 33, of San Antonio Trust subdivision of Medina irrigated lands out of Jas. Steinhart Survey No. 500 and John Igouit Survey No. 501.

Medina Irrigated Farms, Inc., to M. D. McAnelly, warranty deed with vendor's lien to 16 acres out of Nic George Original Survey No. 6. Consideration \$880.00.

The Wheeler Kelly and Haggy Investment Company to C. W. Ahr, warranty deed to Lot No. 3, Block No. 1, of Natalia Townsite, ten dollars and other good and valuable consideration.

Claude W. Gilliam, et al, Trustees to B. A. Schoellman and wife, warranty deed to 20.44 acres of land out of T. J. Dasher Survey No. 941, about one mile north of Hondo. Consideration \$368.00.

Warren Davenport, et al, and Cleora E. Davenport, warranty deed to 1/5 undivided interest in portion No. 2, containing 3,621 acres of land out of the following surveys: No. 1, B. T. & F.; No. 2, J. B. Davenport; No. 423, H. Cribbs; No. 1267, M. Morris; No. 324, G. C. & S. F. Ry. and J. D. Gibbins; No. 1266, A. B. & M.; and No. 346, H. E. & W. T. Ten dollars and other good and valuable consideration.

Griggs Canning Company to Lillie M. Griggs, warranty deed to Lot 5, Block 37, of Natalia Townsite. Ten dollars and other good and valuable consideration.

E. A. Parsons to Cleora E. Davenport, warranty deed to 11 1/2 acres out of Survey No. 1268 1/2. Ten dollars and other good and valuable consideration.

Cleora E. Davenport to E. A. Parsons, warranty deed to 18 acres of land out of Survey No. 2. Ten dollars and other good and valuable consideration.

Medina Irrigated Farms, Inc., to Clarence Swaim, warranty deed with vendor's lien to 10 acres out of H. Reisacher Original Survey No. 503. Consideration \$700.00.

The Wheeler Kelly and Haggy Investment Co. to Lillie M. Griggs, warranty deed to Lot No. 2, Block No. 43, of Natalia Townsite. Ten dollars and other good and valuable consideration.

S. W. Kearny to Marcelino Gonzalez, warranty deed to Lot 28, Block 140, in Natalia. Consideration \$25.00.

Frank P. Seekatz and wife to Harry L. Howard, warranty deed to one-half of Lot No. 345 of Seekatz's Addition to Red Cove Subdivision of Survey No. 79 1/2. Beaty, Seale & Forwood. Consideration \$112.50.

Mrs. Alwine Saathoff to Mathes H. Saathoff, warranty deed with vendor's lien to 128 acres of land out of Survey No. 2, per division of Wm. Bryant Survey No. 22 on Verde Creek. One dollar and other consideration.

Mrs. Alwine Saathoff to Ehme M. Saathoff, warranty deed with vendor's lien to 8 11/12 acres of land out of Survey No. 74, Jacob Salms. One dollar and other consideration.

George M. Davis and wife to Edward O. Pack, warranty deed to 15.33 acres out of J. Leinhard Survey No. 510 and P. Boilet Survey No. 511. Consideration \$750.00.

Devine Man Runs for County Attorney



JOE E. BRISCOE.

Joe E. Briscoe, a candidate for County Attorney of Medina County, was born in Devine. He is the son of the late John T. Briscoe, lawyer and former representative from this district.

After attending the grade school in Devine, Joe E. Briscoe attended school in San Antonio. He was graduated from the San Antonio Junior College, attended St. Mary's University of San Antonio, and graduated from the San Antonio Public School of Law, from which he obtained his degree in law.

Mr. Briscoe has been practicing law in Devine since his graduation from law school, and in making the race for County Attorney he makes the statement that he will be efficient, diligent and energetic in the prosecution of the business of that office.

(Political advertising.)

MARRIAGE LICENSES.
July 9, Lesidoro Domingues and Grazia Deleon.
July 11, F. M. Duncan and Bernice Chancey.
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HONDO REDBIRDS DEFEAT FRENCHY'S BLACK CATS

Locals Skin the Cat 19 to 5

Hondo turned on the heat Sunday afternoon by defeating Frenchy's Black Cats of San Antonio, 19 to 5. A very small crowd witnessed the game.

Sadler and Schuehle led Hondo with three for five and three for four, respectively, while Brown and Taylor were high for the Cats with three out of four each.

The management is trying to get a game for Sunday with some strong semi-pro team from San Antonio. Watch for the ads in town.

Box Score				
HONDO	Pos.	A.B.	R.	H.
RED BIRDS				
Roth, B.	4	6	3	2
Finger, Aug.	8	6	1	1
Finger, Ep.	7	6	3	3
Sadler	3	5	2	3
Finger, Jim	2	6	1	1
Grell	5	5	1	1
Schuehle	6	5	3	3
Williams	9	3	2	2
Tondre	9	2	1	1
Koch	1	2	0	0
Mechler	1	2	2	2
Totals	48	19	19	

CATS	Pos.	A.B.	R.	H.
Brown	4	6	0	2
Winters	3	5	1	3
Martin	7	4	0	0
Scott	8	4	0	0
Guardy	9	5	1	2
Taylor	6	5	1	2
Massey	5	4	1	1
Chism	2	5	1	1
Pavlick	1	5	0	0
Totals	43	5	11	

Summary: Home runs, Winters, Massey; 2-base hits, Mechler, E. Finger, Sadler; base on balls, off Koch 2, off Pavlick 1, off Mechler 3; struck out by Koch 3, Pavlick 3, Mechler 0. Umpires, Rath and Barry. Batteries for Hondo were Koch, Mechler and Finger. For the Cats were Pavlick and Chism.

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This is an old machine but is in good condition and does good work. Mounted on good strong trucks and ready to go. Worth much more than the price asked: \$100.00. Also one triple disc John Deere team plow with 4-horse steel eveners, as good as a new plow. Price, \$100.00. See or write A. V. PUE, at Court House, Bandera, Texas. 3tc

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First Six Months of 1938

to beneficiaries of the following 69 deceased policyholders: (Every claim was paid promptly and in full)

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Mrs. G. W. Best	Dr. L. H. Kirk	Joe A. Reilly
W. G. Crockett	Wm. J. Kirk	James V. Thomas
Joe C. Dill	H. B. Laro	Mrs. John H. Tobin
Mrs. A. D. Dye	A. F. O. Lassberg	W. H. Wear
Mrs. Lennie Earnest	T. D. Martin	Mrs. Ida Wedig
Mrs. Lizzie M. Hicks	Jno. F. Mommson	
	R. D. Nelson	
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Mrs. J. B. Mikeska, Caldwell		
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Henry Hurr, Columbus		
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Ervin M. Baker, Dilworth		
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Chas. C. Haydon, Dripping Springs		
H. C. Butler, Floresville		
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A. K. Ramsey, Jarrell		
E. H. Prescott, Kerrville		
W. J. Schluenz, LaPorte		
J. F. Odum, Lexington		
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HONDO, TEXAS, JULY 15, 1938

NEWSPAPER ADVERTISING.

Newspapers displayed considerably more than half of the national advertising of the country during the past year. Of total advertising appropriations by 387 of the important advertisers in the country, newspapers got 58.2 per cent. Magazines received 26.8 per cent and chain broadcasts 15 per cent. The figures are revealed by a survey conducted by the American Newspaper Publishers Association.

There is but one consideration that determines the placing of advertising—results. And there are good reasons for the results shown by newspaper advertising. The newspapers in a peculiar way possess the affection and confidence of the people to whom advertising appeal is made.

Newspapers are welcome in the homes of the nation and are thoroughly read when their readers are in their most leisurely and receptive mood.—Live Stock Reporter.

WASHINGTON SNAPSHOTS

by James Preston

The opinions here expressed are Mr. Preston's own and not necessarily those of this paper.—M. E.

"WITCH-HUNTING" Or ECONOMICS?

A joint committee of Congress and of representatives of government administrative departments, equipped with \$500,000, is about to set out upon an investigation of the American economic system. It is popularly termed "the Monopoly Investigation," but Senator O'Mahoney, who is to be chairman of the inquiry, points out that it has acquired this label for the same reason that headline writers look for short, easily understood words.

In reality, according to the Senator, it is to be a broad investigation into what has been wrong with our economic system and what corrections are necessary to make the system function best for the greatest benefit to all our people.

Such an inquiry, wisely conceived and carried through with the objective of making the private enterprise system work better, can be one of the most constructive moves undertaken by government in years. This means accepting the offered cooperation of business in fact-finding and in the presentation of witnesses. It means accepting that the American system has produced a constantly rising standard of living, but seeking ways to even increase the flow and provide more jobs.

On the other hand, many Washington correspondents have written of the attempts of the young Brain Trust group there to turn the inquiry into a new "witch-hunt" to find evidence for convincing the people that more and better government regimentation of industry, the farmer and labor is the answer to our troubles. If the inquiry is allowed to fall into a new "smear-all" campaign in which the faults of a minority of business are magnified to make it look as though all business is tarred, then the signs of recovery which are again appearing on the horizon might again be driven behind the clouds.

—WS—

The Capital is talking about how Washington officialdom was taken by surprise by the recent business upturn. Their amazement is typified by one of the inner-circle theorists who read a newspaper headline and declared with much arm-waving that: "There must be some mistake... it isn't justified... the pump-priming hasn't started yet... we can't understand it."

—WS—

The economic-planners are finding more and more that while they might control people, they can't control economic laws. Last year the depression slipped up on them, and before they realized its depth, they were forced from employment, they set out to marshal new billions for pump-priming. That was to start the new upward swing. But before the money could be spent, business began to improve of its own momentum.

—WS—

How far the swing upward will go few people dare to predict. Many attribute the beginning of the climb to the adjournment of Congress, which means there can be no more disturbing "must" legislation forced on the legislators until next January, unless a special session is called. Almost all economists agree that if the "crack-down" on business and industry is withheld and instead the flow of private investment is encouraged, the basis for recovery will have been laid. Those who follow political trends, however, are fearful that the political campaigns will be used as new arenas to attack industry, with

PLANS BEING COMPLETED FOR CRIPPLED CHILDREN'S CLINIC

Interest and enthusiasm are growing in our 12 counties Crippled Children's Clinic to be held at Uvalde on the 21st of July. Already we count 150 children with five more counties to be heard from.

As we go from county to county in our publicity itinerary, we are meeting enthusiastic groups, ready and anxious to hear our plans and how they might work with us to obtain best results for their particular county. What will this clinic mean to this district? First, it will give each parent with a crippled child a chance to discuss with a specialist the need of their child and when the treatment should start. How many of those parents want to say at least when treatment is to be given? No parent should risk his own knowledge of what should be done or when it should be done. Second, it gives the family doctor a chance to gather information on the treatment necessary for the correction of his own patient. Much is being said today about relationship between doctor and patient. Isn't it necessary with the Crippled Child as well as the measles case? Third, this clinic will give an opportunity for all crippled 16 years old and over a chance to discuss plans for rehabilitation in their life's vocation. It is not enough to correct in so far as is possible, the physical handicap of a child, but we must see the child is given the opportunity to earn its own living despite its handicap. Last but not least, this clinic will give us, the laity of our district, the true picture of what we have in our counties. Many are saying to us as we go from county to county: "We have no or very few Crippled Children." However, before the meeting is over they begin to name them off until they find a bus is necessary to convey them to Uvalde for the clinic. Let us remember this! Very few crippled children or adults go to school, church, or to any public place, but are kept in or near the home. If you want to find them go to the homes. Who is to come to this clinic? Every white, colored, or Mexican person who is in need of the treatment or advice of any orthopedic surgeon whether they can pay or not. The examination at the clinic is free. If you are able to pay for the treatment recommended at the clinic you are to do so. If not, this treatment you are given free of charge and it is just as good as those who can pay for it. Where is the clinic to be held? Uvalde, First Baptist Church, North High Street, July 21, 1938. The entire clinic is free to all who need its services. Uvalde County is host to the clinic and bids all of you who hear of it to come partake of its services freely.

Uvalde, First Baptist Church, July 21, 1938. —White—Mexicans—Colored.

MRS. ETHEL LINDLEY,
Uvalde County Nurse.

the so-called monopoly investigation being used to spotlight the attack.

—WS—

Both in Washington and elsewhere, observers have been trying to trace the pendulum of public opinion as between so-called liberalism and conservatism. They received their first definite answer in the results of a nationwide poll of voters of all income groups and political affiliates. The poll was conducted by Dr. George Gallup, director of the American Institute of Public Opinion. The result showed that 72 per cent of the voters in the United States want a more conservative government. The voters answered the question—"During the next two years would you like to see the government more liberal or more conservative?" Only 28 per cent favored a more liberal government.

Dr. Gallup, in announcing results of the survey, wrote:

"While 'liberalism' and 'conservatism' are matters of definition, about which many persons disagree, nevertheless the one-sided vote in the survey seems to indicate a definite tendency toward the right. If the trend indicated by the survey continues, the dominant pull of public opinion will be toward the conservative side."

The poll indicated that conservatism is sought chiefly in two ways—spending of public funds and attitude toward business and industry.

—WS—

Post Office officials are considering issuing new one, two and three cent stamps. They think the solid green, red and purple colors are unattractive. Shortly, these stamps may be issued in bicolours.

—WS—

The WPA has found that beavers construct some type of dams more satisfactorily than the WPA man with his shovel.

—WS—

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This is an example of a little-known but immensely valuable work that is constantly pursued by the fire insurance industry, through the National Board of Fire Underwriters. It seeks to have all communities use standard equipment, couplings, etc. And it has met with noteworthy success.

Other activities of the industry involve surveys of communities to determine the quality of water supplies, alarm systems, and fire departments. Structural conditions are likewise surveyed and specific, detailed suggestions for eliminating hazards made. And the industry has prepared a Model Building Code which has been adopted in whole or in part by many progressive communities.

A city was saved by a thread! It's the little things that start fires—and it's the little things that make it possible to successfully prevent and control them. And those little things can be the means of saving tens of thousands of lives and hundreds of millions of dollars.—Industrial News Review.

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BIRY.

Mr. and Mrs. O. G. Duhon, Mrs. M. G. Duhon and sons, from Lake Charles, La., spent a few days with Mr. and Mrs. George Zimmermann.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Schmidt of San Antonio spent a few minutes here on Saturday evening.

Mr. C. C. Godden and sister and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Oliver and baby and Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Godden Jr., spent the Fourth at Cotulla.

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—MRS. OLLA STATTON,
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SOPHISTICATE.
Scorn the good deed,
Defy love's token—
Hiding sorrow
Never spoken.
Hurl the light word
To your heart's ease:
Your soul despises
Trivialities.

—ESTHER FUQUA,
Dallas.

WINTER LANDSCAPE.
Through the
day of the mist
And brown of cottonstalks
And bare tree branches etched in
black
patrol.

—HAZEL BURROUGHS SWAIN,
Brownsville, Texas.

WHEN AN EAGLE HAS PASSED.
When an eagle has passed with wing
sweep so proud,
Small birds are disturbed and chatter
aloud.

He sails on in the azure to mountain
peaks tall,
Leaving the earth to the birds that
are small.

His range is wide on broad strong
wings,
His vision is high above earthly
things.

Like a sparrow and the jay, their like
and their class,
Like a great flutter when an eagle
has passed.

—SAMUEL RAWLINS STEVENS,
Dallas.

ABOUT PEOPLE YOU KNOW

MRS. G. W. ELAM DIED THURSDAY.

Mrs. G. W. Elam passed away at her home above Medina last Thursday, June 30, at 11:40 P. M. after an illness lasting five months. She had lived in Bandera County most of her life, being born on Aug. 4, 1860, in a log cabin on the present site of the A. K. Briggs home. She often told of her childhood when Indians roamed the surrounding country. She was the daughter of the late George and Amanda Hay, her mother passing away when she was a small child.

Amanda Lydia Hay was married Sept. 16, 1880, to George W. Elam, and they made their home on the Elam ranch. Four children were born to this union, namely, Lon, Earl, Miss Pearl Elam and Clyde. Earl lives in Bandera and the other children live at the ranch. Mr. Elam passed away March 24, 1932.

Funeral services were held at 3 P. M. Saturday at the Baker Cemetery with Glad Kuykendall of San Antonio, Elder of the Later Day Saints Church, of which she was a faithful member, officiating. The obituary was given by C. F. Wheeler of Medina and a prayer was offered by Dr. S. Palmer of Medina. Pall-bearers were Tom Carpenter, Tom Bauerlein, Johnny Adams, Ben Adams, Ernest Love and Preston Wheeler. Funeral services were under the direction of B. F. Langford & Son.

Besides the children, she is survived by four grandchildren, George, Ona and Thora Elam of Ft. Worth and Mrs. Aileen Young of San Antonio, and two great-grandchildren, Danny Glenn, who has been making his home at the ranch, and Dotty Glenn, of San Antonio; step-mother, Mrs. Virginia Hay of Bandera; brothers, George Hay of Bandera, John Hay of San Antonio, Will Hay of Colingua, Calif., Joe Hay of Honder; half-sisters, Mrs. Lee Risinger and Mrs. Mary Langford of Bandera, and Mrs. Janet Currie of San Antonio, and Mrs. Ola Croisdale of Austin.

Mrs. Elam was a real pioneer and saw Bandera grow from a small village to its present size. During her long illness she was always patient and bore her suffering without complaint. The many beautiful flowers bore mute testimony of the love and esteem in which she was held.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Britsch, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Frerichs and family



CREEP FEEDING, PRO AND CON.

By T. C. Richardson, Secretary
Breeder-Feeder Association

Suckling calves grow faster, weigh heavier at weaning time, shrink less from weaning, and are worth more per pound, when they have access to a grain ration while running on pasture with their dams. The grain is placed in a self-feeder fenced to exclude the cows and permit the calves to eat at will. Known as "creep-feeding," this practice has become quite common in the Southwest, and is generally profitable. Now that oats and barley are in the bin creep-feeding can start; corn and grain sorghums will also soon be available.

Both Texas and Oklahoma experiment stations have done research work on creep feeding, and will send their bulletins explaining the procedures and the results in detail on request. Since the farmer or ranchman is interested only in selling his crops and livestock to the best advantage, his own circumstances must decide whether creep feeding is a desirable practice.

In general terms it may be said that creep feeding is always profitable if the grain feed is home grown, and especially so if the calves are to be sold as feeders. In Bee county, Texas, the creep fed feeder calves sold in the fall of 1937 weighed an average of 100 pounds more than other calves under the same range conditions, and sold at a better price per hundred, paying handsomely for the grain consumed. On good pastures the contrast is not so great, one Oklahoma experiment showing a difference of only 39 pounds. The difference in price, in favor of the creep fed calves, however, would have still paid for the grain at market prices.

The true cost of meat production by the farmer who grows both grain and livestock is not the "market price" of the grain, but the cost of producing the grain and turning it into meat. This may be higher, but is more likely to be lower than the

"market price" formula would indicate; the farmer who feeds his own grain at least cuts out the cost of hauling to town and the costs of extra handling which all grain must bear if it goes through commercial channels. For this reason the "profit and loss" data in experiment station reports should not be literally applied to farm-feeding operations, either creep-feeding or finishing, where the farmer produces both the feed and the animals to consume it.

Creep-fed calves take to the dry lot finishing rations with less loss of weight at weaning than non-creep-fed calves, but the latter tend to gain more rapidly in the finishing period. As a rule creep-fed calves will finish ahead of those not creep-fed, though there may be little difference in the final weights, if both are fed for the same length of time.

The greatest benefits from creep-feeding will be shown in calves to be sold as feeders at or soon after weaning. The greatest gains occur when pastures are short. In a Texas range experiment in Webb county creep fed suckling calves gained 114 pounds more in 160 days than those not creep fed, and ate an average of 7 pounds of feed per day (4 parts ground milo heads, 1 part cottonseed meal). This included what the cows ate while the calves were learning, which was for 43 days, enough to make them gain 50 pounds more than their less fortunate sisters on the range.

Threshed grains are recommended for young calves, while older calves will handle ground ear corn or grain sorghum heads to advantage. Unless pastures are unusually green and abundant cottonseed meal or pea-size cake should compose one-seventh to one-fifth of the ration. A small amount of limestone flour or finely ground oyster shell in the ration is advisable, and bone meal may be mixed with the salt in equal parts to advantage. The self feeder should be placed near the watering place.

Those not familiar with self-feeders and creep-feeding practices can get helpful bulletins through county agents.

and Mr. and Mrs. Stiegler, all of Hondo, were here for the 4th of July celebration.

HICKS REUNION.

As has been the custom for a number of years, the Hicks relatives and friends had a get-together and picnic on July 4th, meeting this time at MacNaughton's Retreat. The crowd began to gather quite early and before noon the last car had arrived. Parking their cars and gathering beneath the giant live oaks, so plentifully planted by generous nature, they visited until time to spread the eats. A sumptuous feast was spread consisting of delicious barbecue, fried chicken, various fresh vegetables, pickled fruits, fresh fruits, cakes, pies, iced tea, etc., for which thanks was given by Rev. I. V. Garrison of Hondo.

After lunch, the afternoon was spent playing games, swimming, visiting, and at a late hour the crowd took its departure, everybody having thoroughly enjoyed the occasion.

Those partaking of the day's fun were Misses Jaynee Miller and Shirley Hicks, Harold Mansfield and family, H. H. Deering and family, all of San Antonio; Sylvester Mazurek and family, F. B. Padgett and family, D. B. Hicks and children of Utopia, Rev. I. V. Garrison and family, F. D. Garrison and family of Hondo, Mr. and Mrs. G. Hicks, Raymond Hicks, Miss Estelle Harris, Mrs. E. E. Candler, J. A. MacNaughton and family, Mrs. Jim Surber, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Masters of Bandera, H. L. Mansfield and family, D. A. Hicks and family, F. L. Hicks and family of Tarpley; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Barbee and Mrs. Claude Ivey of San Marcos; Donald Wells of White Plains, N. Y.; Mrs. R. L. Thorn and sons, Bobbie and Glen, of Port Arthur; Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Garrison, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bush of Medina; Mrs. Mary Derring and Miss Mabel Deering of Kerrville.

GOSSETT-BRYMER.

Earl Gossett and Miss Josephine Brymer were married last Saturday night at the Methodist parsonage with Rev. O. E. Moreland officiating. Mrs. W. G. Brymer Jr. was the witness.

Earl is the son of Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Gossett and is employed at Conwill's Store. Mrs. Gossett is the charming daughter of Dr. and Mrs. W. G. Brymer. She wore a gray lace dress with pink sash and accessories to match.

After the ceremony, the popular young couple went to San Antonio and returned Monday evening. They have an apartment at Frank Mansfield's.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wyatt and daughter, Bobby Ray, Mr. and Mrs. L. E. Short and son, Bill, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Short and daughter, Margaret, Mr. and Mrs. P. F. Donn, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Merritt, Mr. and Mrs. Rhea Mansfield, Sheriff and Mrs. W. H. Burns, Mrs. Jennette Hay and son, Ray Marvin, J. W. Short, Howard Earl Short, Walter Short of Seguin, Raymond and Walton Hicks Bob Mansfield, Eugene Burns and Johnny Stevens of Uvalde attended the rodeo at Kerrville Saturday night. Walton Hicks participated in the rodeo and won second place in roping, and Bob Mansfield and John Stevens also roped, but failed to get places.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Christensen, Mrs. John Saathoff, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Saathoff, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Meyers, Mrs. G. Leap, Mrs. W. H. Leak, Mrs. Harry Leap, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Abernathy, Mrs. John Abernathy, Miss Betty Ann Bankston, Miss Annabel Jeffers and Roy Saue of San Antonio were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Ruge Monday.

Mrs. Lenna Spahr of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Network of Macedonia, Mrs. Jess Hall of Potot, S. R. Coffey of Hondo, John Coffey, Misses Mollie and Roxie Coffey of Tarpley, were week-end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Granville Wright.

Mrs. R. L. Thorn of Port Arthur, and Miss Joyce Garrison of Hondo, were guests of Mrs. E. E. Candler one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Batot and Lloyd Rieber of Hondo visited the Museum Sunday.

ANSWERS TO OUR PUZZLE CORNER.

NO. 174— "W" objects—wings, woman, waist, wagon, wave, wall, way, way-side, wheel, wash, weeds.
Crossword puzzle—self explanatory.
Dots—Dachshund.

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Golden Hair Champion—Lilian Nelson, 17-year-old blonde beauty, who was chosen winner of the Golden Hair contest held recently at Long Beach, Calif.



"The Recession Has Reached Bottom." says William F. Humphrey, president, Tide Water Associated Oil Company. "No American has the right to be pessimistic about the long time picture of this country. America has been built through the vision, energy and ability of the American business man. Fair wages and proper working conditions for employees, good-will from customers, cooperation with stockholders and greater concern for the welfare of the masses are all parts of industry's responsibilities. Let's stop calling names and look to the future which is full of promise."



"I Shine Toes"—Honolulu—Keeki Kepoo needn't shout so loudly, for his toe-tinting business is thriving at Waikiki Beach.



High Road or Low Road?—Fifty automobile winners are going to face this question when the series of five weekly Ivory Flakes-Studebaker contests starts June 5. Each will receive a new Studebaker Six Commander Four Door Sedan, complete with radio and 1,000 gallons of gasoline, plus \$100 cash vacation money. Complete details will be given over the "Mary Marlin" and "The O'Neills" radio programs starting June 6.



Britain's Air Defense—(Left) A striking view of how balloons will be used as a protective barrage around London, in case of aerial attack. (Right) British planes fly over the Suez Canal in patrol formation.

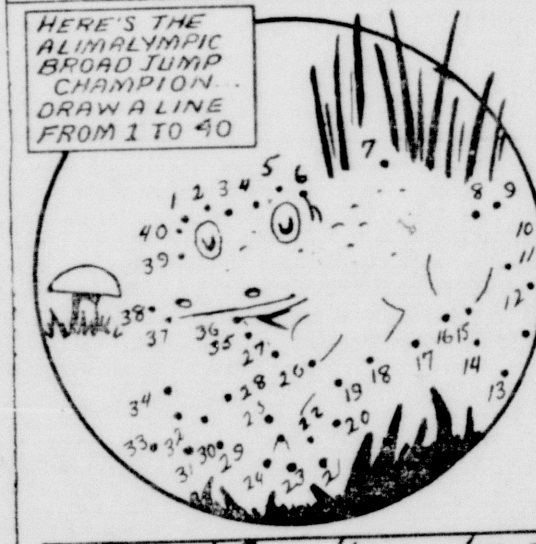


Junior Track Championships—Forest Park, L. I.—The first hurdle in the final of the 120-yard high hurdles race.

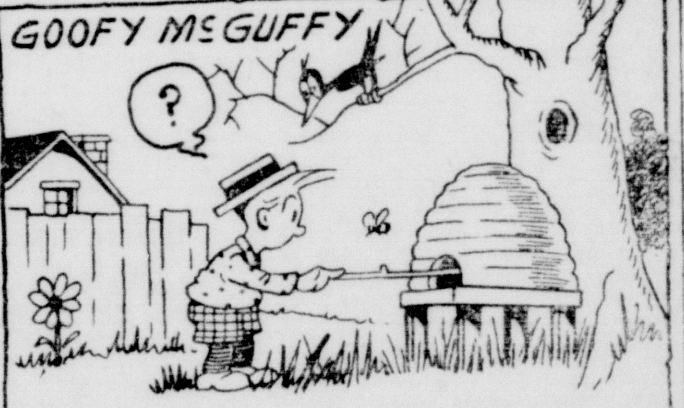


Fred Allen is officially notified of his winning the nationwide poll for radio program preferences of America's mothers and fathers conducted by the Child Welfare League. Fred's "Town Hall Tonight," heard Wednesdays over the NBC-Red network, was first over all other programs in the questionnaire answered by 49,272 parents.

OUR PUZZLE CORNER



HERE'S THE ALPHABETIC BROAD JUMP CHAMPION. DRAW A LINE FROM 1 TO 40



GOOFY MCGUFFY

FIND TEN OBJECTS BEGINNING WITH THE LETTER "B"...

Can You do this Crossword Puzzle?

1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10

Across
1- AN OLD FELLOW
2- A SLENDER CORD
4- IN SUCH A MANNER
7- TOWARD
8- FOR STEERING A SHIP
9- NEEDLEWORK

Down
1- A NOOK
3- BOLD
5- ALL RIGHT
6- THAT ONE

LITTLE BUDDY



By Bruce Stuart

SUBSCRIBE FOR THIS PAPER AND KEEP UP WITH LITTLE BUDDY

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Britsch, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Frerichs and family

THE POCKETBOOK of KNOWLEDGE

BY TOPPS



D'Hanis Doings

A round-up of Local, Personal and Business Items gathered weekly by our regular Correspondent

Miss Josie Rothe

to whom all items intended for this column should be handed not later than Wednesday noon of each week. Miss Rothe is authorized to collect and receipt for money due this paper.

D'HANIS, TEXAS, WEDNESDAY, JULY 13, 1938

MRS. THERESA WALTER.

Mrs. Theresa Johanna Walter, nee Wolff, died at the home of her daughter, Mrs. E. P. Thraillkill, 1120 Iona Street, San Antonio, on Friday, July 8, at the age of 66 years. Mrs. Walter and her late husband, Jacob Walter, who died about 25 years ago, were both natives of D'Hanis and spent their early life here. They have many relatives and friends in this community.

She is survived by three daughters: Mrs. Alfred J. Carle, Mrs. L. H. Nachlinger and Mrs. E. P. Thraillkill; two brothers, Jacob and Hilory Wolff; one sister, Mrs. Jacob Koch; and seven grandchildren.

Funeral services were held at the Riebe Undertaking Company chapel Sunday afternoon followed by services at St. Joseph's Catholic Church, Rev. P. J. Schmetzer officiating. Pallbearers were Charley Wolff, C. L. Quigg, C. P. Thraillkill, William A. Brown, Hilory Wolff, and Albert J. Kerns. Interment was in San Fernando Cemetery No. 2.

Among the many people from D'Hanis who attended the funeral were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Carle, Mr. and Mrs. John Nester, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Carle, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Carle, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Reily Carle, Mrs. Alf. Zinsmeyer, Mrs. Chas. Boog, Mrs. Frank Wolff, Mrs. John Wolff, Mr. Raymond Wolff, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Walter, Mrs. Helen Mills, Mr. and Mrs. John Rieber, Messrs. Nic and Henry Walter and Joe Mueller.

Mrs. Lina Langfeld, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Langfeld and daughter and J. B. Langfeld left Friday for Corpus Christi where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Rainey.

Mrs. Fred Spikes of Lubbock is spending some time in D'Hanis.

Mrs. Fred Steinman and children of McCombs arrived Sunday for a visit with Mrs. Steinman's mother, Mrs. Christina Rudinger.

Mrs. Ben Koch, Miss Bertha Sauter and Miss Cornelia Koch are attending the convention of the Catholic Women's Union at Hallettsville this week.

Mrs. Mary Gersdorf and Mrs. Charles Mueller of San Antonio visited their sister, Mrs. Ernest Mueller, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fohn of Houston are visiting their relatives and friends in D'Hanis this week.

Rev. Father Zuber, Hilmar J. Koch, Howard Rothe and Martin Ney are at Hallettsville this week attending the convention of the Catholic State League.

Mrs. Theresa Mandry returned from San Antonio Thursday after spending several days with Misses Katie and Cecilia Menger.

Carlton Crowder of San Antonio is visiting her mother, Mrs. Leopold Weyand.

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QUIHI NOTES

And he (Jacob) lighted upon a certain place, and tarried there all night because the sun was set . . . took stones . . . for his pillows . . . and lay down in that place to sleep. Gen. 28:11

Pioneer-fashion. Pillows harder than saddle and saddle-bags and blanket. Sunset-glory, or threatening clouds. "The end of a perfect day" or otherwise. A scanty meal; perhaps minus that luxury: drawing the belt tighter may narrow the gap. Or a sip of water, if any is left in the water bag. A murky water-hole comes in handy; never mind the frogs and the snakes or a few skeleton remnants of dead cattle. A few puffs, a few stray titbits of old yarns, a prayer poetic license, we hope, a final jerk on that slipping saddle—and all is quiet at the pioneer front. Those boys were sleeping like on elder-down pillows and inner-spring mattresses, so they relate, unless a heavy rain drenched them, or a fierce norther blew up with the rain, or the lobos and the coyotes or their brothers in skin and scope, the Indians, started a sneaking raid or a stampede. Truth, then, often was stranger than fiction, and the fragments trickling down from those days into our present day attention, if we care to read and listen at all, do little justice to those strange tales of our state-builders. Such they were.—But they were little conscious of their mission, of their relative importance, of their contributive share towards the total result, as little as was Jacob when he had covered the first leg of his journey, preparing that bivouac for one, his night-lodging with Mother Nature, and having the last rays of the setting sun, as we conjecture, reflect in his tear-moist eyes, in that far-away look toward the dear old home, dear, in spite of the hubbub, the grating scenes he had helped to create. That first night away from home, never-to-be-forgotten. What say? Clouds, fog, storm, thunder and lightning in their frightening flashes—the words, actions, explosive moments and heartrending episodes of recent days—all has disappeared, just one solitary peak is towering against the darkening evening sky, towering in rosy golden-purple hues, the dear old home. In the first throes of nostalgia (homesickness, we say), distance, indeed, lends enchantment to that view.—Unconscious of the effects and consequences for the future, at various times, these pioneer wayfarers, sometimes in group-formation, quite often single file like Jacob, pull away from kin and kin, forced by unbearable conditions at home or driven by an irrefragable urge to investigate and explore or to widen the range of their restless spirit and activity, thus becoming the self-appointed plenipotentiaries and ambassadors of an expanding culture and civilization. And the records often reveal pathetic sights. Remember an Abraham leaving a well-established home for a country of unknown destination. Witness the crying and trembling Joseph dragged into servitude—to become the second in the Pharaonic empire; a Moses who leaves the restful solitude of grazing herds to become the greatest statesman and emancipator.

BRIDGE CLUB.

Mrs. Ed. Finger was hostess to three tables of bridge on Friday afternoon of last week. At the close of the games Mrs. O. S. Secrist held high score for members and Mrs. Reily Carle high score for guests. Miss Cornelia Koch received the prize for low and Mrs. John Zinsmeyer drew high for consolation.

Delicious ice cream and cake were served by the hostess to Mesdames Eric Rothe, John Rieber, Hy. Biry, John Zinsmeyer, M. A. Zinsmeyer, Reily Carle, A. J. Finger, Herman Ney, Ben Koch, O. S. Secrist, Ferd Rock and Miss Cornelia Koch.

D'HANIS F. F. A. NEWS.

The D'Hanis Chapter of the Future Farmers of America held a regular meeting Wednesday evening in the Farm Shop.

The following officers were installed for the year 1938-39: Charles Saathoff, President; Homer Nester, Vice-President; Oliver Reinhart, Jr., Secretary; Albert Weyand, Treasurer; Joe Henry Biry, Reporter; Elmer Keller, Parliamentarian; Albert Britz, Historian; Robert Love, Farm Watch Dog; W. P. NORVELL, ADVISER.

Plans for the summer tour to the State Convention were discussed. A dance was voted on for August 7. Buddy Hancock was selected to play.

Oliver Reinhart, Jr., and Charles Saathoff were selected as delegates from the D'Hanis Chapter to represent them at the State Convention at El Paso.

The following card was received by Mr. W. P. Norvell, adviser: July 5, 1938 Kingsville, Texas

Dear Mr. Norvell: Oliver Joseph Reinhart, Jr., from your chapter has been approved by the Area committee for the Lone Star Farmer Degree.

Yours very truly, Charles D. Parker, Supt. Agricultural Education.

THE D'HANIS F.F.A. BOYS ARE SPONSORING A DANCE ON AUGUST 7, 1938. BUDDY HANCOCK WILL FURNISH THE MUSIC.

F. F. A. BOYS PLAN TOUR.

The D'Hanis Chapter of the Future Farmers of America are leaving Tuesday, July 19, 1938, to attend the

CASTROVILLE TEST READY TO DRILL IN.

Six miles northeast of Castroville in Medina County the D. K. J. Oil Company's No. 1 L. W. Burrell in the Mary E. Gage Survey No. 395, has cemented casing and will probably drill in around Wednesday of next week. The test is bottomed at 2,026 feet, two feet in the Trinity showing oil in that formation and also in 20 feet above that horizon in the Travis Peak.—San Antonio Express.

on record; a Daniel standing alone against a king and his royal clique, one of the first to fight for the freedom of religion. Watch Columbus, westward ho! amidst a mutinous crew, opening the portals of a new world. Think of young Washington and his perilous trips through Indian-infested forests and over swollen, ice-jammed rivers and thereby, unwittingly, hastening the sense of colonial unity that led to the march for ultimate liberty and independence. And we must not forget Austin smothering in Mexican dungeons, and yet with indomitable will carrying on the negotiations that finally put the Lone Star on the U. S. flag. And I think of the lonely, heroic St. Paul stepping away, by the grace of God, from home and race and an illustrious career, and with undaunted vigor stepping into the idolatrous centers of Asia Minor, into the brilliant but Godless corona of Greek philosophers at Athens, and who delivered the good tidings at the capital of the universe, Rome, thus ushering in the spiritual world-conquest for the Lord. Lonely, homesick Jacob is on the way to join the great galaxy of these memorable ambassadors of God.

The summer days are here again with the mercury in the thermometer ranging in the upper regions, and humanity is perspiring beyond pleasure. And the evenings are close and sultry for a long stretch. But we had our usual attendance, in spite of all, to get a few moments of relaxation while listening to our Luther League program. Thanks to some voluntary contributions, we were able to go through it without a hitch. Starting things is not so hard, but to keep them up is a different proposition, and records show that these programs have been on the go for almost fifteen years and are still far from internal exhaustion. We are glad of it and others with us. And so we announce the numbers for the August program with hopeful courage: Recitation, Mrs. Herbert Brucks; select readings, the Misses Irene Nietenhoefer, Hulda Neumann, Lucille Boehle; vocal selections, Mr. Edwin Grell, Mr. Elmer Nietenhoefer; instrumental number, Miss Hertha Weber. Let's keep up the good spirit.

Let us forget, this year is a jubilee year for the Quhi community. The pastor was made to start the procession, and he is still trying hard to digest the impressions and the surprise. But there are more important dates ahead: The congregation was organized in 1852, in March, and that makes it 86 years old. The present church building was dedicated in 1913, so this year is its twenty-fifth anniversary. And the Luther League came into existence fifteen years ago. Perhaps we can arrange for a combined celebration of all three for the coming fall. Gratitude to God and to the many friends and supporters justifies the attempt. Watch for later announcements.

Announcements for July 17th: German service at 10; Sunday school and Bible classes (and a hearty invitation to the members of the various classes) at 9; English service at 8 P. M. "Come hither, ye faithful" and all ye that need food for your immortal souls. A cordial invitation.

next general election in November, 1938, and will appreciate your consideration. If re-elected I will continue to serve to the best of my knowledge, experience and ability. Respectfully, H. E. HAASS.

FOR SHERIFF.

We are authorized to announce E. L. BROD as a candidate for Sheriff of Medina County at the November election.

We are authorized to announce H. N. JUNGMAN as a candidate for Sheriff of Medina County at the November election.

TO THE VOTERS OF MEDINA COUNTY, TEXAS:

I hereby respectfully announce my candidacy for re-election to the office of Sheriff of Medina County, Texas, at the General Election to be held in November, 1938. It has been my endeavor, during the time that I have served as your Sheriff, to render prompt, efficient and impartial service in the discharge of my duties and if re-elected I will continue to so discharge those duties to the very best of my ability.

Your friendship, and the favors and honors which you have heretofore conferred upon me, are most sincerely appreciated, and I trust that you may again favor me with your vote and support.

Very sincerely, CHAS. J. SCHUEHLE.

FOR PUBLIC WEIGHER PRECINCT NO. 1.

We are authorized to announce PAUL R. RICHTER as a candidate for the office of Public Weigher of Precinct No. 1, at the November election.

VOTE FOR JOE E. BRISCOE

FOR COUNTY ATTORNEY, Medina Co.

Castroville Cullings

LOCAL, PERSONAL AND BUSINESS ITEMS FROM THIS BUSY BURG

DORIS TONDRE, LOCAL REPRESENTATIVE

News and advertising copy for this column for the week's issue should be submitted to Miss Tondre or mailed direct to us at Hondo not later than Tuesday night of each week. Miss Tondre is authorized to collect and receipt for lay business for this paper.

CASTROVILLE, TEXAS, TUESDAY, JULY 12, 1938

Mrs. Adolph Ahr and Miss Dorothy Naegelin from here and Mrs. Allen Black from San Antonio, left Sunday for a week's stay at Corpus Christi.

Miss Tena Lea Lieber is the guest of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Toby Koch, at Hondo this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph Maier and daughter, Rose Mary, and Marshall Koch of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Toby Koch and son, Olen, of Hondo, visited in the Joe Lieber home Sunday.

Mrs. John C. Lewis and niece, Kathryn Karm, of Uvalde, were guests in the Joe Lieber home Monday.

Henry Lutz and daughters, Ethel and Alva Marie, of San Antonio, and Melverda Poerner of D'Hanis, visited Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lieber and daughter Sunday evening.

Joe G. Karm and Anton Biediger, accompanied by Marshall Koch of San Antonio, are vacationing at Corpus Christi and Port Lavaca this week.

Mrs. Annie Tschirhart is visiting with relatives and friends in San Antonio for several days.

Anton Kilhorn and son, Irvin, were San Antonio visitors Saturday.

Sebastian Meehler is visiting with homefolks here.

Miss Ethel Mae Schuehle from Hondo was visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Hilmer Mangold and sons for several days.

Miss Gladys Tondre is visiting at present with Miss Mary Lee Oeffinger.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Young and family from Camp Bullis were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Haller and daughter Sunday.

Miss Helen Franger of Hondo spent one day with Mrs. A. H. Tondre and other friends.

Mrs. P. J. Zuercher spent the week with her mother and brother, Mrs. A. H. Tondre and son, Elton.

Elton Tondre and Clyde Bader were business visitors in San Antonio.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe E. Tschirhart, Jr., spent Sunday with Mrs. A. H. Tondre and Joe Tschirhart, Sr.

Robert Williamson of San Marcos spent the week-end with his parents, Dr. and Mrs. R. D. Williamson.

Miss Thelma Stuebing was visiting Saturday and Sunday in the W. F. Bourquin home.

Mr. and Mrs. George Muennink of Hondo left for a trip to Fort Worth.

Bob Carson of Breaux Bridge, La., was a Castroville visitor.

Mrs. Bert Pope and daughter, La Verne, and Mrs. T. N. MacMurry of San Antonio were Castroville visitors Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Suehs and daughter, Patty, and Mrs. Josephine Naegelin were Lytle and Devine visitors Sunday.

Charles Suehs, Jr., left Tuesday for Hallettsville to the Catholic State League.

Narval Mangold was a San Antonio visitor Tuesday.

Rudolph Haby sold to J. B. Sittre, the Rio Medina butcher, a grass fat

cow weighted at 1580 pounds and dressed, 830 pounds. In his many years in business this is the heaviest cow that Mr. Sittre recalls having killed.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Haby and children, Lynn and Roberta, have returned from a two weeks' visit in New Orleans, La. They were accompanied home by Mrs. Haby's brother, Clayton Kruce.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Bader were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Haby on Friday.

Word has been received from Howard Haass, Joe and Jesse Applewhite, Leo and Emil Weiss, who are on an automobile tour of the Western States with their final destination California. In the course of their trip the young men came upon a town named Castroville, California, and from there sent greetings to their friends and relatives in Castroville, Texas.

Castroville Home Demonstration Club Meets

The members met at the home of Mrs. Bernard FitzSimon on Wednesday, July 6, with seven members and three guests present. Different discussions about the delegates to A. & M. College took place. Mrs. George Etter from here is one of the delegates for Medina County.

Mrs. FitzSimon served a delicious lunch of sandwiches, potato chips, cake and iced tea. Nature Study will be the main topic in the next meeting, to be at Haass Park, July 20.—Reporter.

ZION'S LUTHERAN CHURCH.

Sunday, July 17, 1938.

8:30 A. M., Sunday School and Bible Classes.
9:30 A. M., English Service.

You are hereby reminded that you are invited to worship and go to church not only next Sunday, but every Sunday. Please bring your children to Sunday School. Learn what the Bible teaches about your relations to others. It will mean a happier household and a pleasanter life. Strangers and those without church affiliations are heartily invited to worship with us.

Monday, July 18th

8:30 P. M., Lutheran Brotherhood meeting. Don't fail to attend. Bring others with you, please. You will receive a warm welcome.

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